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LOST ON NORTH MOUNTAIN.

A HUNTING TRIP THAT WAS NEARLY FATAL.

OVERTAKEN BY SNOW.

A Williamsport correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* of Monday writes the following story of an adventure on North Mountain:

Perhaps the most thrilling adventure in this section during the hunting season which is drawing to a close is the experience of Zeke Campbell, of Clinton Township, one of a party of six who spent several days deer hunting on the North Mountain, at a point where the counties of Lycoming, Sullivan and Columbia join. Campbell and his party had their headquarters at Laporte, but after an unsuccessful days' hunt in that neighborhood concluded to go further into the mountains and "bunk" in a cabin that is located in one of the timber belts. During the first night in the cabin a three-inch snow fell and made tracking excellent. They had no dogs, consequently next morning when the crowd started out it was arranged that two of the men should cover the low lands in the capacity of chasers, while the others hunted along the mountain sides where the timber growth was not so thick, and where the deer were likely to run when chased from the valley.

Campbell was selected as one of the chasers, and had proceeded along the middle of the valley scarce half a mile when he ran across the track of a deer in the snow. It was headed for the north, while his companion chaser was to the south of him, so it fell to Campbell's lot to track the game. The prints in the snow showed that the deer was a large one, and Campbell kept a sharp lookout ahead.

THE GAME IN SIGHT.

Suddenly coming into a partially cleared space right at the foot of the mountain, he spied the deer, a big buck, slowly making his way up the mountain side, fully 300 yards in advance of him. Every now and then it would stop to browse off the young scrub oaks, but kept far enough ahead of him to preclude the possibility of a ball from his rifle doing effective work. Finally the deer threw its head around, and looking down over its shoulders caught a glimpse of Campbell. Another instant and it was off like the wind up the mountain. Following its track in the fresh snow Campbell reached the top of the hills, but could discover no signs of the other hunters having been there.

He gave the prearranged signal and before twenty minutes had elapsed the other men had put in their appearance. After a consultation it was decided to chase the big buck. Scattering again the men started over onto the next mountain. Campbell following closely the track of the deer, which skirted along the hillside for nearly a mile, then suddenly plunged down into the valley below.

The trail was followed until noon without catching another glimpse of the deer and Campbell, being in strange woods, concluded that it would be well for him to get his bearings and start cabinward. After eating a lunch which he had deposited that morning in his game pouch, he started on a "short cut" over the mountains in the direction of the cabin, which he calculated to reach before dark.

IN A STRANGE COUNTRY.

When he reached the top of the mountain he was surprised at the immense tract of timber that lay before him to the south, extending over the valley and covering the next range of hills. A dense fog had settled down into the valley, but Campbell had no fear but that he would be able to find his way back to the bunking shanty, and such would probably have been the case had it not been for something that occurred in the valley. After crossing a small stream which flowed through the thick hemlocks in the very heart of the valley, Campbell's attention was attracted by pheasant tracks in the snow, and he concluded to look them up. After fully half an hour had passed, during which time he had been intently following the tracks as they wound in and out among briars and rocks, Campbell suddenly found that in his circling about he had got completely turned around. He could not tell from which direction he had entered the valley, for in his chase on the pheasant tracks he had crossed and recrossed the creek, so that his own tracks were nothing but a puzzling net work of footprints.

FOLLOWING HIS OWN TRAKES.

Here was a pretty muddle. The fog hung thick and heavy, making it impossible to see more than fifty yards in advance. He knew that in the valley it would get dark early, and which direction to take was a mystery. Finally he concluded to make a "break" and started up toward the mountain side. A half mile away his heart gave a bound of joy when he came across the fresh tracks of a man in the snow. They must be the footprints of one of his friends, he thought, and a moment later the valley echoed and re-echoed with Campbell's shouting. But no welcome answer came. Even a half dozen shots from his rifle brought no response, so Campbell comforted himself with the thought that he at least had the man's tracks to follow and was bound to come out right sooner or later. He started onward, feeling that at last he had found his way out of the forest. Suddenly, after walking a half hour or more, he came to where there were two tracks in the snow instead of one, as originally, and the similarity of the two attracted his attention.

Then the truth of the situation dawned upon him. He had been walking around in a circle. The tracks which he had discovered were his own, and in following them he had come back to the very point from whence he started. Again in desperation he shouted long and loud and fired off his gun repeatedly, but to no effect. Then he concluded to start off in an opposite direction, and he was soon climbing the mountain side, but whether the north or south slope the bewildered man had no means of knowing. The top reached, he found nothing whatever on which to base any calculation.

The valleys upon either side looked exactly alike; darkness was slowly but surely settling down, and in another hour progress would be entirely out of the question. Campbell then started along the brow of the mountain at as rapid a pace as his now weary limbs would permit with the hope that he would come to some habitation of man before night hemmed him in.

DARKNESS CLOSED IN.

In this he was disappointed, for after walking several miles dense darkness had overtaken him, and he resigned himself to fate. It was cold on top of the mountain, so he concluded to descend to the valley below, where he built a fire of pine knots and sat down to watch it burn. Food he had none, and as for shelter, the only protection afforded was the big hemlock tree under which his fire burned. About 9 o'clock snow began to fall and it kept up steadily for nearly four hours, during which time Campbell was busy feeding his fire in order to keep warm.

Once in the night an awful yell, which seemed to come out of the darkness not twenty five yards away, chilled the blood in his veins, for he was hunter enough to know that it was the voice of a panther, and he prepared for an attack. Crouching behind the big hemlock near the fire Campbell waited and watched, but the animal failed to put in an appearance.

As soon as daybreak appeared Campbell, after a night of untold misery, started up the mountain. Not fifty yards from his still smoking fire he came across the tracks of the panther, which had circled about him during the night, and close by were the tracks of still another, which showed that the animal had not been alone He finally reached the top of the mountain weak and almost starved, and as he stood wondering what direction to take there came faintly to his ears, in the crisp morning air, a long, low sound. It was a locomotive whistle on the road that runs into Laporte, and taking this welcome sound as a guide he started in the direction from whence it came. It was nearly noon that day when he came upon a small clearing, on which there was a house, from the chimney of which smoke curled skyward. Inquiry at the door developed the fact that he was within a mile of the public thoroughfare leading to Laporte, and after getting something to eat he continued his journey. He learned that he was fully eighteen miles away from the cabin, having travelled in the opposite direction.

The practice of saying "God bless you!" whenever a person sneezes must be wide-spread indeed when we find a similar salutation, "Mbuka!" (literally equals live!) obtaining among the Fijians of the South Pacific, a race developed by the blending of the Malayo-Polynesians with the Papuans, the Fiji group being the borderland between the two. It has been said by a London physician that one is nearer death at the actual moment of sneezing than at any other period of one's life. Herein, perhaps, lies the reason for the kindly wish, and may account for the prevalent idea that it is dangerous to interrupt a person in the act of sneezing.

License court will be held on January 16th.

KILLED BY A BLOW.

On Sunday last, at Sand Run, a small coal mine in Barclay township, Bradford county, Wesley McDowell, struck and killed Henry Haggerty. They were both former residents of Elkland township, and on Sunday were in Elkland on a horse ttrading expedition, and filled up on hard cider. They returned to Sand Run, and in company with two other men went to McDowell's house to supper. Mrs. McDowell found fault with him for trading horses and he scolded her about the supper, ending in her leaving the table and going out on the steps to cry. Haggerty advised McDowell to make his wife come in the house, and McDowell accordingly brought her in using considerable force in doing so. Haggerty objected to the unnecessary force and was told by McDowell that he could run his own house. They clinched and parted. Haggerty took off his coat and swore he could eat McDowell up, and McDowell threw a milk pitcher at him which struck him, as he ducked his head, in the back of the neck. They clinched again, McDowell struck a smashing blow at Haggerty's face, missing the mark and striking the left temple. Haggerty fell to the floor, and his brother Thomas, who had come in, took up the fight. They struck, choked and finally McDowell pushed his new antagonist out doors and went out with him. The men then started to leave when Mrs. McDowell came out and told them Haggerty was dead. He lay where he had fallen cold and stiff. McDowell at once went to Foot-of-Plane and gave himself up to Justice Blakeslee. The next morning he was taken to Towanda and placed in jail. McDowell is said to be a half breed Indian and is a man about 53 years of age, and until two months ago lived in Elkland township, where he had an interest in a saw mill with Christian Kobbe. Haggerty was about 34 years of age, and the two had always been the best of friends.—*Dushore Review.*

Contagious Diseases.

There are a few cases of sore throat in our community, and every precaution should be taken to prevent their assuming a malignant form. As soon as any one knows of a case of any contagion they should report it to some member of the school board so that the members of such family may be kept away from other children. A little precaution in this particular will keep out of our community any epidemic. All malignant diseases begin in a mild form and as they spread among others the atmosphere becomes charged with germs of disease and may spread among all having weak constitutions. An ordinance of the town requires that every physician practicing in this town shall report the case of every contagious disease to the council, or if they are not in session, then report to some member of the board of health, within twelve hours after it has come to their notice. A similar report ought to be made to some member of the school board.

Trinity College.

The catalogue of Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut, has been received. It is the leading institution of learning in the United States under the control of the Protestant Episcopal church. It is not sectarian in its methods of instruction, and any young man of any denomination can get the same liberal education there that he would get at any college of his own creed. The city of Hartford is one of the most beautiful places in the country, and the location of the college very attractive. The buildings are all comparatively new though the college is a very old one. A few years ago the state purchased the grounds and buildings which then were in the heart of the city, and erected a Capitol thereon. The college was then moved to its present location. There are dormitories, gymnasium, Alumni Hall, Scientific building, Professors' houses, Society lodges, &c., making it one of the best equipped of New England institutions. For catalogue, address Rev. F. S. Luther, Hartford, Conn.

While a lot of men were cutting ice on the river above town one of them hauled out a large cake in which a black bass measuring 22 and three fourth inches was inbedded. says the Clearfield *Public Spirit.* The fish was placed in a tub of water to thaw out and when the lady of the house went to the tub to get his fishship ready for supper it was found swimming around in the tub. When weighed the bass tipped the scale at 4 pounds and 11 ounces,

EDUCATION AND EDUJATIONAL DESPOTISM.

Undoubtedly education is the key to the highest state of civilization. It is also the handmaid of a progressive and enlightened christianity. It is right and proper that the people support such a laudable cause for the intellectual advancement of the young and rising generation. It is the imperishable inheritance that alone can be bequeathed to the youth of our land. It is the foundation of "honest, upright, patriotic and progressive citizenship". We worked almost a lifetime in the cause of education. We appreciate and welcome every advance step that promotes its welfare.

But in its cause are men enlisted who have a zeal, either without knowledge or without consciences. Men who endeavor to build up an educational despotism upon our Free Public School System, seeking to obliterate a condition by substituting a theory. What is the theory? A longer continuous school term, a minimum of 8 months; increased salaries and compulsory education without additional cost to the tax payers by reason of larger appropriations. We ask Dr. Waller how this strikes the farmers of the rural districts. He and his subordinates in the educational harness are all salaried officials. The teachers are all salaried. The farmers are not salaried. Their aggregate annual product is their wages which they are obliged to convert into money to pay their taxes and other obligations. A farmer whose school tax was ten dollars twenty-five years ago, and assuming that to be his average annual school tax, and by virtue of increased appropriations the school term is extended to eight months, teachers' salaries raised and new educational machinery added by a compulsory system, the farmer's tax does not exceed ten dollars. The theory is that there is no additional cost to the aforesaid farmer. Dr. Waller does not propose that the farmer shall be a bit relieved from the burden of taxation by reason of increased appropriations, but asks the Legislature to continue these burdens without additional cost by extending the school term and suggesting such other expenditures that to him seem necessary. To further illustrate, we will take for example the farmer whose average annual school tax is $10. Twenty-five years ago four bushels of wheat was sufficient to pay that amount of school tax. Now it requires fourteen bushels. His real estate and live stock is worth only half as much as it was twenty-five years ago. Besides, Dr. Waller would rob the farmer from the help of his children eight months in a year, and thereby compel him to employ outside help which he may have of his own. The school age is from 7 to 21 years. The teacher who realized $35 per month twenty-five years ago, with one month's salary could buy 14 bushels of wheat. The teacher who realizes $35 per month to-day, with one month's salary can buy 50 bushels of wheat, 36 bushels more than twenty-five years ago. How does this condition coincide with Dr. Waller's theory? No "additiohal cost" to the farmer, by raising the public school standard to the plane for which he has been paving the way. The great inequality, or difference between the purchasing and paying power of the product of all the salaried classes, and the purchasing and paying power of the product of the agricultural classes, either escaped the notice of the superintendent of Public Instruction, or he deliberately seeks to cast additional burdens upon the latters' shoulders that he and the salaried classes would under no circumstances be willing to bear, or submit to. We know as well as he, that the same number of dollars will meet the usual amount of taxes, expenses, or other obligations as formerly; but we also know that it acquires nearly three times the amount of agricultural products to meet the same obligations. Theoretically there is no additional cost to the proposed several changes in view of increased appropriations; but practically it costs the farmers a great deal more. How can Dr. Waller reconcile all interests, and practically apply his theory in justice to all concerned?

J. C. WENNER.

The severity of the winter can be demonstrated by the experience at the High school during the holiday week. There being no school the fires were not kept up, because nothing had ever frozen other years. When the janitor went to look after the building at the close of the week he found the water meter frozen and top bursted off—while the water pipe, lying about six inches under ground in the bottom of the cellar, was frozen solid and bursted in many places. The cellar is not exposed and was closed during the vacation.

MILLVILLE.

Andy Carr of Dutch Hill was seen on our streets last week.

Benny Richard and Eddie Russel of Bellefonte, arrived on Monday to attend the Friends' School.

The new year came in dull and dreary, as it rained and snowed about all day.

It is not best to look back over our past lives unless it is done with the intention of improving upon them. Better let them go and look ahead and make renewed efforts to do what we can to alleviate the sufferings and distress of others, and the pleasure given to them will in return bring us happiness.

Did you ever stop to think that the most permanent and lasting happiness and enjoyment is gotten by making others happy? It is a fact. Try it.

The spring term of Friends' School opened up last Tuesday with a goodly number of scholars.

There seemed to be a regular land slide last week here. Sarah B. Rich sold her home on Main street to Rachel S. Eves and sisters, and W. B. German sold his property on State street to Chas. W. Brink, who will put up a bake shop on it in the near future.

Several other properties are under negotiations, and may change hands this week.

There will be several changes made this spring by the occupants, and some new houses will undoubtedly be erected, among which will be the new Lutheran church on Walnut street.

John Brunner is the possessor of a handsome gold watch. The gift of Mrs. Dr. Brunner of Roaring Branch.

An entertainment was given in the Opera House last Saturday night by the members of the L. T. L. which was well attended, and gave good satisfaction.

The second lecture to be given this winter at this place, will take place in the Opera House on the evening of the 13th, by Rev. Anna Shaw on "the strength of character."

Eva Patterson, who has been sick a long time, is gaining slowly in health.

Several of our townfolks went to Derrs last Saturday to attend an infare held at the home of Frank Trivelpiece in honor of their son's marriage which occured recently.

A HOUSE INSPECTION.

Mr. E. M. Laubach who lives near the confluence of the Huntington and the Fishingcreek, just recently moved into his new house. In order to express his satisfaction and good will toward the mechanics who were employed in its erection, he invited them to a turkey roast on last Saturday. Of course the parson and his lady were also invited to participate in the festivity. As we had no hand in the construction of the house, we took the privilege of giving it a thorough inspection. We were pleased with the design and work of the house. The mere fact that Mr. Jacob Geisinger, Mr. Willit Paterson and Mr. Hartman were employed in the erection is sufficient evidence that the work was well done. We congratulate Mr. Laubach and his estimable partner in the possession of so desirable a residence, and we hope they will live long to enjoy it and to extend their accustomed hospitality to their many friends, and particularly to the parson and his companion. A. H.

A BAD BOY.

On Monday afternoon a boy aged about thirteen years eniered the Episcopal Church, (which was open and being cleaned out preparatory to making repairs), and tore the poor box from the wall just inside the inner doors at the main entrance. He took it around behind the Parish House and broke it open with a stone. How much money was in it is not known. The boy was seen breaking the box by Mrs. W. B. Taylor and she called Sexton Thornton's attention to it. He had been seen in the church by Will Sawyer and Paul Harman, and they went out on the street and found the boy, and Mrs. Taylor identified him. His name is known, but is withheld for the present.

The building committee of the school board were apprised Monday of what seemed to be a break in the sewer connection at the new addition of the Fifth street Public school. The surface water was accumulating in one of the dry closets. Upon examination it was found that in making the attachments one of the workmen had closed up the sewer, not knowing it was intended to drain any excess of surface water. The difficulty was easily removed.

PERSONAL.

J. Lee Harman and Harry Houck spent last Sunday at Scranton.

Mrs. M. H. McKinney has gone to the Sanatorium at Dansville, New York, for medical treatment.

Harry Pursel and family of Wilkesbarre, spent last week with his father, N. S. Pursel and family.

George B. Swank of Tank, Luzerne county, was in town on business on Wednesday.

Miss Sarah M. Rothrock of Williamsport is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Freas, on Third street.

G. W. Bertsch has secured a fine location in Reading and will move there about the middle of next month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Armstrong of Williamsport spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. George Hassert.

Miss Nellie Packer and Miss Sarah Moody of Sunbury, are the guests of Mrs. S. F. Peacock.

C. D. Spigelmyer of Williamsport has accepted a position with a firm in Reading, and will travel for them hereafter.

Frank Pursel, Frank Ikeler and Samuel H. Harman attended the Bachelors' Ball at Scranton last Friday night. It was a very swell affair.

Miss A. D. Webb was in town on Monday. She has returned to Pottsville on account of the illness of her neice, Miss Kate Price.

Nicholas Kindt of Mordansville spent Wednesday in Bloomsburg. He is past eighty years of age, and is a well preserved old man. He was born on the same day as Caleb Barton of this town, in August, 1812.

Mr. E. W. Drinker has been appointed Division Freight Agent with office at Wilkesbarre Passenger Station, L. V. R. R., in charge of the Eastern Division, Penn Haven Junction to L. & B. Junction, including branches; also the Williamsport Division—vice Mr. T. B. Koons, who has been relieved of these duties. He will reside at Wilkesbarre.

REPAIRS AT ST. PAUL'S.

The slate roof of St. Paul's Church has been overhauled to prevent leaks. On Sunday morning last Rev. W. C. Leverett announced that the services will be held in the Parish House for several weeks, as the interior of the church is to undergo a thorough renovation. The entire interior will be painted and decorated, a new carpet put down and new cushions placed in every pew. The carpet and cushions will harmonize with the colorings of the walls. Casey and Dawson will go over all the plastering and put it in condition for the work of the decorators. The painting will be done by a Philadelphia party who thoroughly understands church decoration.

These improvements will cost a considerable sum of money. A subscription book is in the hands of Geo. S. Robbins. All pew holders are requested to remove their cushions, books, &c. from the church at once, as there is no place on the premises to store them.

GOOD SKATING.

The young people of Bloomsburg enjoyed themselves hugely last week skating upon the Fishingcreek, having the full moon as a bright lamp to guide them. All who could secure skates, ladies and gentlemen, took advantage of the occasion. It is the first for many years, that such excellent ice has been upon the creek, with no snow to interfere, and a bright full moon and cloudless sky overhead. All will long remember the close of 1892 as an event occurring but few times during life.

THE NEW YEAR.

The new year was ushered in admidst considerable noise. The bells of the Methodist and Lutheran churches were rung, and the whistles at Harman & Hassert's shops and the Silk mill were blown. The tinkling of the tocsin facetiously called a fire alarm, on the Town Hall, was also heard by those near by. Pistols and fire crackers, and a small but powerful brass cannon, helped to swell the general din. People who did not know just when 1893 began, must have been sound sleepers indeed.

We give place this week to an article by our excellent friend, J. C. Wenner, but we cannot fully endorse his views. While it may now cost the farmer three times as much produce to pay his school tax of $10 as it did twenty five years ago, his children are getting more than three times the benefit from the improved schools and the longer terms.

AN OLD MAN'S DREAM.

O for one hour of youthful joy!
Give back my twentieth spring,
I'd rather laugh a bright-haired boy
Than reign a gray-haired king!

Off with the wrinkled spoils of age!
Away with learning's crown!
Tear out life's wisdom-written page,
And dash its trophies down!

One moment let my life-blood stream
From boyhood's fount of flame!
Give me one giddy, reeling dream
Of life all love and fame!

—My listening angel heard the prayer,
And calmly smiling said,
"If I but touch thy silvered hair,
Thy hasty wish had sped.

"But is there nothing in thy track
To bid thee fondly stay,
While the swift seasons hurry back
To find the wished-for day?"

—Ah, truest soul of womankind
Without thee, what were life?
One bliss I can not leave behind,
I'll take—my—precious—wife!

The angel took a sapphire pen
And wrote in rainbow dew:
"The man would be a boy again,
And be a husband, too!"

—"And is there nothing yet unsaid
Before the change appears?
Remember, all their gifts have fled
With those dissolving years?"

Why, yes, for memory would recall
My fond paternal joys:
I could not bear to leave them all:
I'll take—my—girl—and—boys!

The smiling angel dropped his pen;
"Why, this will never do;
The man would be a boy again,
And be a father, too."

And so I laughed—my laughter woke
The household with its noise—
And wrote my dream, when morning broke,
To please the gray-haired boys.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

LYDIA'S SACRIFICE.

Lydia sat on the porch looking down into the orchard, all pink with apple blossoms. A warm May wind blew the curls on her forehead to and fro, and made her feel too drowsy to read. "Middlemarch" had sunk into her lap, with one finger between the leaves to keep the place, and she was half asleep when the sound of voices from the sitting room behind her floated out and became a part of her day dream.

"Seems to me," said a high-pitched tone, which she knew to be that of a neighbor, "seems to me you ain't lookin' jest up to the mark this spring, Mis' Marcy."

"Well, I don't know as I am feelin' any too spry," returned the gentle old voice of Lydia's grandmother. "I expect it's this dreadful hot weather comin' on all of a sudden so. I've been thinkin' I'd start in takin' some brimstone and molasses three mornin's and then skip three. Anybody needs a little medicine in the spring. I don't seem to have much of any appetite, and I'm weak as a rag."

"Maybe it's the cookin' of that hired girl from the city, that you ain't used to," suggested the neighbor. "How does she take hold? Is she much of a hand?"

"Well, Lyddy's satisfied with her, and she knows more than I do about the way they do things nowadays. She's visited the Governor's folks and round among her schoolmates a good deal, and she's seen just how things ought to be. I guess they set a pretty good table to Governor Cobb's."

"I guess they do," said the neighbor. "But it's kind o' hard for an old woman like me to get used to new-fangled ways. There ain't nothin' relishin' to me in such little warmed-over messes. I declare, I'd like nothin' better for my dinner than a good rye and Injun cake and a nice, hot cup of tea!"

"I'd like to know what in the world there is to hender your havin' it?" cried the neighbor, sitting up straight.

"Well, Lyddy she says it ain't the fashion to have tea for dinner, and I give in to her sooner'n to make a fuss. You see, Mis' Seavey, young folks is young folks. When Lyddy come home from boardin' school last Fall I could see 'twas hard for her."

The old lady paused.

"The house ain't new," she resumed. "Why I've lived here myself, Winter and Summer, goin' on sixty year. Our ways here ain't like city ways, and she wanted to ask some of her mates up here; but I could tell 'twas mortifyin' to her to think of their coming to such a poor old place, and to me, too, so far behind the times.

"So I just says nothin', and let her go ahead her own way fixin' things up. Good land, Mis' Seavey! I just wish you could see the best parlor!"

"What has she done to it?" asked Mrs. Seavey.

"Why, the chairs and the tables is all twisted every which way. Looks as if a high wind had been blowin' through. The blinds is all left wide open, and the sun streamin' in, a-fadin' out the carpet like everything. Body Brussels, too, Mis' Seavey!"

"Good land!" said Mrs. Seavey.

"She's got out some of the best chiny and stood up the plates on the mantelpiece, and more of 'em hangin' on the wall. There's old shawls a danglin' in the doorways. That picture of father, painted when he was a young man, she's took down altogether. She says it's awful."

"Dear suz!" cried the neighbor.

"But I'm sure the minister used to set a sight by that picture. I never come in when he was here but I found him lookin' at it. She's stood some plants on the floor by the windows. She's—well, I can't tell you all. She wants we should set there common every day. I don't know what her grandfather would say if he could see it. I expect he would turn over in his grave."

Poor Mrs. Marcy was quite out of breath as she poured out her soul. To have the sacred best parlor profaned had been a sore trial, which it took all her love for Lydia to bear. To sit there "common" would have been to her as wicked as to carry her knitting to the meeting house.

"She wants I should dress up every afternoon in my best black silk and the white net cap Sarah Sheldon made me. That silk's too good to set around in. It's only been turned twice, and I've kep' it nice for funerals an' when I do go to meetin', though that ain't often now. Why, it'll get all shiny in no time if I go to puttin' it on every day, let alone my feelin' like a fool all rigged up so when there ain't no occasion. Lyddy, she's different. Young folks ought to rig.

"Now, Mis' Seavey, I don't want you to think I'm complainin'. At my time o' life it's hard work tryin' to git into new ways. But land! you can git used to anything. It makes Lyddy happy. Poor child! It's hard for her to be penned up here in the country. There ain't a prettier-appearin' girl in New York or Boston I'll be bound."

Mrs. Seavey bounced up in wrath.

"Pretty appearing! What's pretty appearing, I'd like to know, when she's pesterin' your life out, and just as selfish as she can be? I've got to run back now, for John's comin' home to dinner, but I'm goin' to stir you up a mess of rye and Injun cakes, and if you don't have some for your dinner, and a dish of tea, too, I'll come in bimeby and give your Lyddy a piece of my mind. Good-by!"

Off she trudged, burning with a sense of the old lady's wrongs, and trying to peep into the reconstructed best parlor as she went through the entry.

The village did not think much of Lydia since she returned from school, a tall, stylish girl, "with more airs than a music-box," as the ladies declared at the sewing-circle.

Lydia sat quietly after the voices had died away, no longer sleepy, but half amused, half sad. She had been thoroughly discontented at the homely old farmhouse after her very modern home at school. It really seemed to her that she had shown nobleness of soul in choking down the despair in her heart and trying to make the best of things.

The parlor especially she looked upon quite as an artistic triumph. But no amount of talking and scolding could put the Marcy household on a stylish footing. Plain and old-fashioned it was, and so would it remain in spite of all her efforts.

"Grandma is so obstinate!" Lydia had groaned in her own room.

The little talk she had now overheard put a new aspect upon it all. She saw as if a veil had fallen from her eyes how her grandmother had been sorely bewildered by the new ideas, and how the sweet old soul had struggled silently to come into harmony with a strange order of things with an unselfishness that made Lydia's trials seem trifling.

Then she flew to the best parlor, and in a very little while had brought back its old prim order. She pushed the hair-cloth chairs back stiffly against the wall, closed the blinds at the windows and took away every æsthetic touch she had given.

Last, but not least, out of the closet under the stairs she dragged the despised portrait of her ancestor in the gaudy militia uniform. Laughing quietly at its grotesqueness, she hung this work of art up on its old nail, where it was easily the most prominent thing in the room.

When all was done a gloomier and more forbidding apartment had never been seen, but, just as it was, grandma loved it.

When the old lady awoke the sun was streaming in across the sitting-room floor and the bell was ringing for dinner. Lydia appeared in the doorway with a bright smile, prettier than ever.

"Come, grandma," she called, "dinner is ready, and Mrs. Seavey has just sent in little Kitty with some delicious cakes for you."

A great pleasure flitted over grandma's face as she stepped eagerly towards the dining room, leaning on her cane.

"I do believe they're rye and Injun," she exclaimed, as delightedly as a child, helping herself from the well-filled plate.

"I thought perhaps you might like a cup of tea, too," added Lydia, getting up from her place to put the cup down by her grandmother, and trying not to see the scorn of the hired girl from the city, who had a great contempt for dinner at noon and tea at dinner.

Lydia laughed and chatted cheerfully until the meal was ended, and Mrs. Marcy breathed a long sigh of satisfaction.

"I declare!" Mrs. Marcy said, rising from her seat at last. "I don't know as I've ever had an'thing taste so good to me. Those cakes of Misy Seavey's were just beautiful, and I do enjoy some hot drink in the middle of the day. It kind o' goes to the spot."

Lydia drew her gently along until, through the open door in the parlor, her glance fell upon grandpa's picture back in its place on the wall.

Why, Lyddy," she whispered, with a start of surprise. "Why, Lyddy!"

"Yes," answered Lydia, merrily. "I suppose the parlor is better the way you used to have it. It goes better with the rest of the house. So I put all the things back again as they were."

Grandma's eyes wandered lovingly over the stiff and solemn room. A mist came on her spectacles, and, as she took them off to wipe them, her thin old hands were trembling so that she could hardly hold them.

"Somehow," she said to herself, with a sort of a sob in her throat, "somehow I can't help feeling as if I'd been off on a visit and was just a-gettin' home."

Lydia threw her arms around her grandmother, giving her such a hug that the glasses flew across the room and the black cap was hopelessly unsettled.

"Oh, grandma!" she cried, with a deeper meaning than grandma knew, "we've both got home, and like the people in the fairy tales we're going to stay here and be happy ever afterwards."—Exchange.

"Round about town"—the suburbs.

Vegetable Boa Constrictors.

Portions of the South Pacific ocean produce a wonderful species of the seaweed called the "vegetable boa constrictor." They are likely to be met with at any point between the lower point of southern California and the Sandwich Islands on the one side and between Chili and Australia on the other. These vine-like stranglers are frequently found tightly entwined about the body of a dead whale, shark or porpoise, but whether they had fastened upon the bodies of these dead sea animals before life had become extinct or had only ventured to attack the remains after the vital spark had fled are conundrums which of course cannot be answered. Experiments made with this curious vine and the carcass of a porpoise washed ashore in the harbor at Apia tend to prove that the vine, like that of our common bean, will not entwine itself around anything dead, whether that thing be of vegetable or animal creation.

Dr. Chadbourne, in his "Annals of the Caroline Islands," says: "I have often seen monster specimens of macricystis (the giant seaweed) with every vestage of life squeezed out of them by that ocean demon, the constrictor vine, which is itself a species of seaweed. Macricysistis often grows to be from 20 to 30 inches in diameter and 1,500 to 2,000 feet in length, while the constrictor vine seldom exceeds 100 feet in length and is never larger in diameter than a pound and a half salmon can. It is the 'squeeze snake' of the ocean, however, and woe to the unlucky man, animal or plant that comes within its reach."—St Louis Republican.

The Mahdi.

The mahdi's outward appearance was strangely fascinating; he was a man of strong constitution, very dark complexion and his face always wore a pleasant smile, to which he had, by long practice, accustomed himself. Under this smile gleamed a set of singularly white teeth, and between the two upper middle ones was a V shaped space, which in the Soudan is considered a sign that the owner will be lucky. The mahdi was well versed in the art of winning over people. His unruffled smile, pleasant manners, generosity and equable temperament, though at times somewhat severe, all tended to enhance the popular idea of him. He attributed the execution of Said Pasha and Ali Bey Sherif (the valiant defenders of El Obeid) to the Khalifa Abdullah, and when the two little sons of the latter were brought to him the smiling hypocrite wept for their father's fate.

The popular belief in him and his cause almost amounted to worship. Women especially raved about him and thought him the most handsome of men. His virtues were extolled in poems, and constant reference was made to his good looks, wisdom, stature and to his repeated victories over the Turks. The beggars used to learn off by heart special laudatory verses, and by reciting them from house to house they were sure to be given alms.—"Ten Years' Captivity in the Mahdi's Camp."

He Threw Away the Cigar.

"George," she said softly, as she looked trustingly into his eyes.

"What is it, dearest?" he asked tenderly.

"Don't you think, George," she said slowly, "that you had better throw away that cigar?"

"Do you object to smoke, pet?" he asked.

"Oh, no, George, dear George; not at all," she replied quickly. "I rather like the smell of a good cigar, but—but"——

"Does your mother object to cigar smoke in the house?"

"Oh, no; papa smokes here all the time, but—but"——

"But what, dearest?"

"But you are so forgetful, George, and—and—if you should forget to take the cigar out of your mouth you might—even a slight burn on my cheek, you know, would cause comment."

The cigar went into the grate, and a minute later there was nothing but a blush on a fair cheek to indicate that George would take a broad hint.—Detroit Free Press.

Longevity in England.

The death rate in the Peak of Derbyshire is so low that the district rivals in salubrity the American village which was so extraordinarily healthy that the inhabitants who wished to "shuffle off this mortal coil" had to migrate into a neighboring town. The mortality at Buxton is nine per 1,000; at the adjacent hamlet of Flash it is said that death takes only the very young and very old, the infant and the patriarch. The sexton can almost tell whose grave he will next dig. In a similar manner at Edale, under the shadow of Kinderscout, death goes by seniority.

At Tideswell, also in the "Peake Countrie," there was, quite recently, the funeral of a man sixty-four years of age, whose father and mother were still living in the parish, having been married sixty-seven years.—Sala's Journal.

Not to Be Outdone.

Governor Turney, of Tennessee, tells a good story and has a keen appreciation of fun. Once while his regiment was in winter quarters with a Georgia regiment a religious revival was started in camp. An officer told him one day that twelve of the Georgians had been converted.

"How many of our men professed Christianity?" he asked.

"None, sir."

"What! what!" he said, "none of my men converted? It will never do for Georgia to get ahead of Tennessee. Sergeant, detail eighteen of my men for baptism at once."—New York World.

Merely a Hypothesis.

One remarkable thing in Japan is the number of small children and babies which are strapped to the backs of other children. Heaven only knows where they come from. In Germany there is a legend to the effect that storks bring babies. Perhaps the great number of storks in Japan are engaged in the same pursuit.—Baltimore American.

CYCLING FOR CHILDREN.

Great Care Should Be Taken That Injury Does Not Result from It.

Dr. E. B. Turner, in considering the question whether young children between the ages, say, of six and twelve, should be allowed to cycle, and if allowed how much they may indulge in the pastime without incurring the risk of injury, maintains that the subject is one on which no man can pronounce dogmatically or lay down strict and invariable rules concerning. What for one small boy or girl might be merely healthy and beneficial exercise, for another might mean physical ruin. But while each case must be judged on its merits, one fundamental principle must be clearly enunciated—namely, that no young child with any organic weakness, whether of heart, lungs, joints or nervous system, should be allowed to mount a machine under any circumstances whatever.

Setting aside such natural disqualifications, the exercise of cycling, properly regulated and adjusted to the capabilities of the individual, is unquestionably one of the best forms of recreation that can be partaken of by children of both sexes at an early age. It develops the body, and the self reliance and resource entailed by the management of a machine tend to strengthen and enlarge the mental and intellectual faculties. A few simple precautions, however, may insure good and avert evil results. As to the age that a child should begin, for most children six is quite early, and even for some six is too early. Great care should be taken in choosing and fitting a machine to a young rider. An old, ill fitting crock may produce deformity or disease.

Two things that must be insisted on in buying either a bicycle or a tricycle for a young rider are that the peak of the saddle should be two inches behind the crank axle, and that the handles should be so brought around and back that the child can sit perfectly upright on the machine. As to the distance the child may ride no absolute rule can be laid down. Overexertion must be carefully guarded against, and a sleepless night and a distaste for food is one of the indications that the system is poisoned by the products of its own waste. It must be remembered that excessive speed is more injurious than excessive distance, and excessive hill climbing than either.

The conclusion arrived at by Dr. Turner is that a sound child, six years old, properly fitted with a machine, and riding in proper form and position, may cycle within the limits of moderation and derive benefit and suffer no harm from the exercise.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Superstitions of Scotch Fishermen.

Some still existing superstitions among fishermen are communicated by a resident. At the beginning of the herring season the crew all try to seize the herring first on board to see if it be a male or female. If it is a male their fishing may be expected to be a poor one; if a female a good one. Sometimes, however, the skipper secures it and hides it away, salting it and laying it aside for the season. The boat must not be turned against the sun.

Certain animals considered of ill omen must not be spoken of in the boat, and ministers in this respect occupy the same place as rabbits, hares, and pigs. Fishermen do not like to lend anything to a neighboring boat lest their luck should go with it. If they lend a match they will contrive—secretly if possible—to break it and keep part, hoping thereby to retain their luck. Their dislike to have anything stolen is increased by the fear that the thief may have stolen their luck with it. To ask the question, "Where are you going?" of any one who is going on board is equivalent to destroying all his chances for that time. Persons with certain names are held to be of bad omen, the dreaded names being different in different villages.—Fraserburg Free Press.

Rough Experiences.

David Christie Murray, the novelist, writes: "Eight or ten years ago I was sitting in the Savage club in the company of four distinguished men of letters. One was the editor of a London daily, and he was talking rather too humbly, as I thought, about his own career. 'I do not suppose,' he said, 'that any man in my present position has experienced in London the privations I knew when I first came here. I went hungry for three days, twenty years back, and for three nights I slept in the park.' One of the party turned to me. 'You cap that, Christie?' I answered, 'Four nights on the embankment, four days hungry.' My left hand neighbor was a poet, and he chimed in laconically, 'Five.' In effect it proved that there was not one of us who had not slept in that Hotel of the Beautiful Star which is always open to everybody. We had all been frequent guests there, and now we were all prosperous and had found other and more comfortable lodgings."

Fat in the Body.

Fat stored in the body as adipose tissue is a bank on which the body may draw for supplies of energy and heat when required. It is stated that in the Franco-German war of 1870 the German emperor, acting on the strongly expressed opinion of Ebstein, that muscular fatigue could be best supported on fat, gave orders that each soldier should have served out to him 250 grams of fat bacon. It is also a well known fact that fat animals bear privation of food better than thin ones.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Hardest Work of All.

Few poets had more admirers among women than Whittier had, and this admiration frequently took personal form. One day his sister, in her slow, Quaker fashion, was describing these eruptions: "Thee hast no idea," she said, "of the time Greenleaf spends in trying to lose these people on the streets. Sometimes he comes home and says, 'Well, sister, I had hard work to lose him, but I have lost him.'" To this Whittier pathetically added, "But I can never lose a her."—San Francisco Argonaut.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

DELAWARE LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Northumberland	6 20	1 50		
Cameron	6 35	...	.....	5 ...
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5 53
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	5 58
Catawissa	7 05	2 26	10 39	6 05
Rupert	7 19	2 31	10 44	6 23
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	1 29
Espy	7 27	2 43	....	6 35
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 42
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 46
Briarcreek	7 41	....	.....	6 50
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6 56
Beach Haven	1 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 09
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	....	7 32
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	..	7 43
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 48
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 52
Kingston	8 45	4 08	12 03	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 02
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 07
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 12
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 17
Pittston	9 06	4 30	12 22	8 25
Duryea	9 12	4 34	.....	8 29
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	....	8 32
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 42
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	.....	8 47
Scranton	9 35	4 55	12 45	8 52

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Scranton	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07	
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	.....	
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 45	6 17	
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 24	
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 28	
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 34	
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 38	
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43	
Maltby	6 44	10 28	....	....	
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 50	
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55	
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....	
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 03	
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 07	
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	1 12	
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 20	
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30	
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	7 41	
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47	
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 33	7 53	
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	...	
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 02	
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 06	
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12	
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18	
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23	
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 28	
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 38	8 43	
Chulasky	9 03	....	4 46	....	
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53	
Northumberland	9 22	1 00	5 05	9 07	
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	

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9:48 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:00 p. m.; New York 5:50 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 4:30 p. m. connecting at Philadelphia for all sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphi Baltimore. Parlor car to Philadelphia.

1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:35 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 7:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5:25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10:55 p. m. New York 3:30 a. m., Baltimore 10:40 p. m., Washington 4:10 a. m., Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:22 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:25 a. m.; New York 7:10 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—(Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 9:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:30 a. m., Pullman Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:36 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:55 a. m. and Washington 10:16 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:10 a. m.—Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars to Erie and Elmira and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:55—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:34 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

9:25 p.m.—Train 13, (Daily, except Sunday) for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

7:10 p. m.—Train 21, Sunday only for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:40 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:10 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:55 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m, Philadelphia 11:40 a. m., Washington 10:15 a. m., Baltimore 11:10 a. m, (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:29 p m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 13 leaves New York 2.00 p. m., Philadelphia 4:35 p. m., Washington 3:15 p. m., Baltimore 4:20 p. m. (Daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 9:25 p. m Through Coach and Parlor car from Philadelphia.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:30 p. m., Philadelphia 9:20 p. m., Washington 7:40 p. m., Baltimore 8:45 p. m., (Daily except Saturday,) arriving at Sunbury, 2:04 a. m. with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:40 p. m., Baltimore 11:40 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:10 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 7:00 p. m. Hazleton 7:56 p. m. Pottsville 9:05 p. m. Through Coach Williamsport to Wilkes-Barre.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. Pottsville 6:00 a. m., Hazleton 7:10 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 8:47 a. m., Sunbury 9 35 a. m. Through Coach Wilkes-Barre to Williamsport.

Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p. m. Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m. Through Coach Wilkes-Barre to Harrisburg.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 p. m.

Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 4:40 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:03 p. m., Sunbury 7:00 p. m.

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Bloomsburg	6 28	12 10	7 15	8 35	2 35	6 40
Main Street	6 18	12 04	7 07	8 42	2 42	6 47
Irondale	6 16	12 00	7 04	8 45	2 45	6 50
Paper Mill	6 08	11 52	6 56	8 53	2 53	6 58
Lightstreet	6 05	11 49	6 53	8 56	2 56	7 12
Orangeville	5 57	11 38	6 43	9 06	3 07	7 98
Forks	5 45	11 27	6 33	9 15	3 17	7 20
Zaner's	5 42	11 24	6 30	9 20	3 20	7 24
Stillwater	5 37	11 19	6 25	9 27	3 25	7 29
Benton	5 28	11 09	6 16	9 37	3 33	7 39
Edsons	5 23	11 04	6 11	9 41	3 38	7 44
Coles Creek	5 20	11 02	6 09	9 44	3 42	7 48
Sugarloaf	5 15	11 57	6 03	9 48	3 46	7 52
Laubachs	5 12	10 54	6 00	9 53	3 50	7 57
Central	5 03	10 43	5 52	10 03	4 00	8 07
Jamison City	5 00	10 40	5 50	10 10	4 05	8 10
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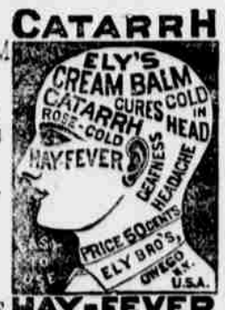

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How He Avoided Punishment by Skillful Diversion.

"Tommy," said Mr. Fosdick, severely, "your mamma says you have been naughty, and I must punish you. Come with me."

"What are you going to punish me with, papa?" asked Tommy, as he accompanied his papa to an upper room.

"With this strap," replied Mr. Fosdick, producing a gad which Tommy remembered very distinctly, having seen and felt it on former occasions.

"The strap is made of leather, isn't it papa?"

"Yes."

"They make leather out of the skins of cows, don't they, papa?"

"Yes, and the process is called tanning, which makes the tanning I am about to give you with this strap particularly appropriate."

"I saw a cow to-day, papa."

"That's strange," Mr. Fosdick answered, sarcastically.

"It had it's skin on yet, and when it came down the street a woman was afraid and came inside our gate till the cow went by. I don't know what makes women afraid of cows, do you?"

"No."

"You ain't afraid of cows, are you, papa?"

"No."

"You are a brave man, and ain't afraid of anything, are you, papa? I told Rats Robinson yesterday you could thrash any man on the street, and Rats said his papa could wallop daylight out of you. He couldn't, could he, papa?"

"Well, I should think not."

"Of course not, that's what I told him."

"It was quite right of you to stand up for your father."

"Oh, I always do. Do you know what Rats Robinson's real name is?"

"No. What is it?"

"It's Nicodemus. I don't think much of a papa who would name his boy Nicodemus, do you?"

"No, I don't."

"Where do names come from, papa?"

"Oh, from different places. Some are found in the Bible."

"Thomas is a Bible name, isn't it?"

"Yes."

"Did you hunt it in the Bible to give it to me when I was born?"

"I knew it was there."

"Is it in that big Bible in the parlor?"

"Yes."

"Do you ever read the Bible, papa?"

"Why do you ask me that?"

"Because my Sunday School teacher says that everybody ought to read some in the Bible every day, and——"

"There, that will do. Go and see if your mamma doesn't want you."

And Fosdick hung up the strap and put on his hat and went down town.—Detroit Free Press.

A Broom Speculation.

A six-foot Yankee, seated upon a load of brooms, drove his team up before the door of an establishment where he expected to find a purchaser. Jumping from his seat he entered the store and the following colloquy took place:

"Can't I sell you a load of brooms today, mister?" asked the Yankee.

"No; don't want any," said the dealer.

"Better take 'em—sell 'em dog cheap."

"Don't want 'em; got enough brooms."

"I'll tell you what I'll do. If you'll take the lot I'll let 'em go for one dollar a dozen. You know they're wuth double that."

The dealer stroked his chin for a moment, as if in deep thought, and then replied:

"Well, I don't want any brooms, as I told you, but I don't mind making a trade with you."

"What sort of a trade?"

"Well, I'll take your whole load at one dollar a dozen, and pay you one-half cash, you to take the other half in trade."

"No you don't, mister. You'll charge me such an all fired profit on the other half that I might come out at the little end of the horn."

"Oh, no; I promise you that you shall have the goods just at what they cost me."

"Wall, mister, that's what I call square dealin'. It's a bargain."

And he commenced to unload the brooms in a pile on the sidewalk. When he got through he walked into the store.

"There you are, mister! Fourteen dozen, which I calculate makes just seven dollars coming to me."

"Yes, that's right; there's the money. Now, what goods do you want for the other seven dollars?"

"Well, I dunno. You see, mister, I hain't much posted in your other truck, so I guess I'll take brooms."

Irish Wit Matched.

"Come here, Pat, you truant, and tell me why you came to school so late this morning," said an Irish schoolmaster to a ragged and shoeless urchin, whose "young idea" he had undertaken for a penny a week to teach "how to shoot."

"Please your honor," replied the ready-witted scholar, "the frost made the way so slippery, that for every step forward I took two steps backward."

"Don't you see, Pat," was the rejoinder of the pedagogue, "that at that rate ye never would have reached school at all?"

"Just what I thought to myself, your honor," replied the boy, "so I turned to go home and after a time I found myself at school."

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 1893.

The name of Senator John G. Carlisle of Kentucky is being pressed forward as a member of Cleveland's Cabinet in the position of Secretary of the Treasury. Mr. Carlisle is debating the question, his wife is opposed to his accepting it. It is understood that President-elect Cleveland prefers to give the Treasury portfolio to some Southern or Western man. If it were given to a New York man the cry might be raised that he would be subject to Wall street influences.

Senator Quay is now preparing to re-capture the republican national committee. Having obtained a seat in the Senate for a new lease of six years, he will now turn his attention to the management of the republican party. There are a great number of his admirers who believe had Quay managed the late Campaign the result would have been different. Chairman Carter will soon be in New York to make arrangements for a meeting of the republican national committee. He is anxious to retain the chairmanship, but Quay's influence will no doubt be felt and Carter will go down. We believe that Quay is wrong, and that the result of last fall's election would have been the same with any other chairman of the republican party. The verdict was that of an oppressed people, who do not believe in being over taxed.

AN EXAMPLE OF BACKBONE.

THE CLEVELAND STYLE WINS ADMIRATION AND ADOPTION AT A SINGLE BOUND.

From the Reading Herald.

President Cleveland is winning golden opinions for the manly, dignified way in which he protested against the election of an unfit man to the Senate from New York. Perhaps his frank utterance and his definition of what a Senator ought to be namely, a man who can defend the policies of his party and originate and promote new policies, will put some backbone into the republicans, as well as Democrats, who are called upon to elect Senators, and confronted with a candidate of a machine and threatened with political extermination unless they obey the machine's orders.

In District Attorney Graham's letter declining to be a candidate for the Senate from this State he mentioned the fact that quite a number of Legislators were favorable to his candidacy, but they felt that should they support him their political future would be destroyed, which meant that they were cowed by the boss. This was mentioned as if it was an ordinary incident of politics and as if a representative of the people was at liberty to disregard the interests of the people who elected him, in order to placate a political boss. This is an exceedingly low idea of public duty, and anyone who can inject any independence into such a weak-kneed class of public officials is entitled to high praise.

Democratic Wyoming.

The attempt of the Republican politicians to steal the State of Wyoming has failed at every point.

The scandalous action of the State Board of Canvassers in accepting the return of a single member of a county board, who reversed the result in order to re-elect himself as County Clerk, was first overruled. The attempt was then made to defeat the will of the people by technical objections to the form of nomination in the case of certain Democratic members. This the Supreme Court rebuked on Saturday, and it granted a peremptory mandamus requiring the State canvassers to count the votes as cast and returned.

The official majority for Osborne, the Democratic candidate for Governor, is 1,781, and to-day the so-called "Acting Governor," Barber, will turn the office over to him.

The legislature will be Democratic by three majority and the new Senator will be a Democrat.

It is pretty hard on the Democrats to be obliged to carry elections twice in the same year—once at the polls and again in the courts. But the next Senate must be Democratic.—*World.*

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WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3, 1893.

Speaker Crisp's visit to New York for the purpose of conferring with President-elect Cleveland, which was first authoritively announced in this correspondence, was a succes from every point of view, and while the Speaker will not, of course, talk about what Mr. Cleveland said to him his face indicates to a certainty satisfaction, and indeed, he does not hesitate to say that the conferences were entirely satisfactory to both participants. and that he found himself in perfect accord with Mr Cleveland's ideas about what should be done by the party in Congress. The importance to the democratic party at large of this complete understanding between Speaker Crisp and Mr. Cleveland can hardly be overestimated. In the first place, it removes all danger of a bitter fight over the Speakership of the next House, and consequently means that perfect harmony will exist between those who will control the legislation of the House and the democratic President, and that means everything for the future success of the party.

Your correspondent regrets that he cannot give as good news of the prospects in the next Senate. In the first place, the control of the Senate of the next Congress is still very much in doubt, with the probabilities of its being in the hands of the populists, who have, through Senator Peffer, announced their intentions to put their votes where they will do the most good—to themselves. Democrats here take no stock in the stories which republicans and mugwump newspapers have been circulating about the intentions of Senator Hill The Senator himself has long ago given up the attempt to put a stop to silly stories by dignifying them with a denial, but a gentleman who enjoys confidential relations with him, and who is probably as well acquainted with his intentions as anyone, exept himself, said to me: "Senator Hill is first a democrat, and you will make no mistake by asserting in the most positive terms that he will do nothing in the Senate that will be inconsistent with Simon pure democracy. He will support Mr. Cleveland's administration as loyally as any man in the Senate, except in the matter of appointing mugwumps or newly converted democrats, of the Wayne MacVeigh stripe, to office. If Mr. Cleveland nominates any of those men to important offices I predict that Senator Hill will endeavor to prevent their confirnation by the Senate, but he will cast no vote against the confirmation of any man whose democracy is unquestioned. Remember this prediction, and see if time does not prove its truthfulness."

Here is a specimen of extravagant and useless legislation, brought to light by members of the House committee on Appropriations: In the estimates submitted for appropriations for the next fiscal year by the War Department was one item of $650,000 for artificial limbs for soldiers. The large amount for this purpose suggested an investigation which brought out the fact that up to the Fifty-first (billion dollar) Congress soldiers entitled to artificial limbs were authorized every five years to receive new legs or arms, or to take in commutation $75 for a leg and $50 for an arm. During that Congress without any recommendation or request from the war Department a bill was lobbied through by the claim agents ring which at that time collected about nine-tenths of the commutation money—upon a big percentage of course—reducing the period to three years (since then a rule of the department shuts the claims agents out of this money.) It was also discovered that the original law was more than liberal, as an artificial arm will under ordinary usage last a life time and that a leg lasts from six to eight years; also that 98 per cent of those entitled to artificial arms and 78 per cent of those entitled to legs regularly take the money instead of the limb. Further investigation showed that if this claim agent's law had not been enacted the item would have been $75,000 instead of $650,000. Quite a difference eh? This is only one instance,—there are hundreds of them—showing how this Congress is compelled by the vicious legislation of the last republican Congress to increase appropriations. It will take several years of democratic rule and vigilant investigations to get the expenditures of this government down to an economical business basis, but it is going to be done.

Secretary Noble has issued an order granting the use of the hall of the Pension Office building for the Cleveland Inaugural Ball, but the committee has not yet accepted it. Mr. Cleveland's first Inaugural Ball was held in this building; also Mr. Harrison's. In fact it is almost the only building in Washington suitable for the purpose, although owners of other buildings think different.

Senator Morgan says it was English influence, which is always for the single gold standard, that prevented the accomplishment of anything by the monetary conference, and he thinks the same influences will have the same effect when it meets again in the spring.

PROCEEDINGS AT HARRISBURG.

When the House convened Tuesday, one of the most outrageous proceedings occurred that has been witnessed in the assembly of any Legislature.

Willis P. Higby, who was elected a member of the Legislature from Crawford county, and whose election was certified to by the Secretary of the Commonwealth after receiving the canvass of the returns from the Clerk of the Courts of Crawford county, was deposed and Ex-State Chairman Andrews substituted. Andrews had a certificate from Judge Henderson, and Voorhees declared that one superceded the certificate of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, notwithstanding the Constitution declares that the terms of members shall begin with December 1st, immediately following their election. The republicans afterward went through the form of referring it to a committee, but that will prove only a delusion—and Higby will remain unseated, although elected to a seat. After this proceeding the House adjourned until 3 o'clock p. m., when the Governor's message was read.

Governor Pattison recommends the passage of a law for the equalization of taxation. Public officials to be paid by salaries, and not by fees. Members of the Legislature to give more heed to their oath to support and defend the constitution, upon the subject of corporations and their violations of laws. Ballot Reform receives much attention. The governor is convinced that the Baker ballot is a step in the right direction, but that it needs some modifications; he points out the needs of making it clear, what is meant by "disability." A new apportionment bill should be made a law. and elections should be chosen by the representative districts, except for electors-at-large. Complaint is made in the delay of the public printing and binding. The cost of printing last year when there was no session amounted to $241,883.65. The labor troubles, Soldier's Orphans Schools and road laws each receive his attention. It is the best state paper that has been presented for many years.

The Necrology for 1892.

From the New York Tribune.

The necrology for 1892 is remarkable for the mortality of literary men, and the immunity which the governing and political classes have enjoyed from the ravages of time. Among the distinguished dead of the year are Rehan, Tennyson, Whittier, Walt Whitman, George William Curtis. Cardinal Manning, Spurgeon, Noah Porter, C. P. Cranch, Rose Terry Cooke, Amelia B. Edwards, Theodore Child and G. W. Bungay. Among monarchs and princes Tewfik and Albert Victor are conspicuous, and among politicians and men of affairs may be mentioned Alexander MacKenzie, Justice Bradley, Edwards Pierrepont, John J. Knox, Francis Kernan, Willard Saulsbury, John L. Barbour, Daniel Dougherty, L. L. Polk and Cyrus W. Field. Jay Gould and William Astor head the list of millionaires. Only two soldiers, who made much of the history of the Civil War, have died during the year—Pope and Meigs; and two remarkable surgeons, Morell Mackenzie and D. Hayes Agnew. Saddest of all the deaths of the year has been that of the gentle and greatly beloved wife of the President.

Headache is the direct result of indigestion and stomach disorders Remedy these by using De Witt's Little Early Risers, and your headache disappears, The favorite little pill everywhere. W. S. Rishton, Druggist- 10 14 1y

Literary Notes.

Harper's Weekly, with the number for January 7th, will enter upon its thirty-sixth volume. The number will be an especially attractive one. Among its leading features will be a description of Madison Square, by A. E. Watrous, finely illustrating by F. V. Du Mond; an article on the French Chamber of Deputies, by Stephen Bonsal, Jun., with several portraits; illustrations of the dedication ceremonies at the corner-stone of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine; a paper on University Extention in the United States, with portraits; illustrations of St. Luke's new hospital, New York city, etc. The front-page illustration will be a striking and timely picture of "Rough Weather at Sea."

Walter Besant's new serial story, entitled "The Rebel Queen," will be first introduced to American readers through the pages of *Harper's Bazar*.

The opening chapters will appear in the next number of that periodical, published January 7th—the first number of the new volume.

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Winter Novelties for Ladies.

A pretty walking costume is a pleasing picture, but a beautiful Ball Dress is a poem. Never before has a winter season presented a wider range of fascinating styles than are witnessed this year. It is at receptions that one sees those revived styles, such as the *Henri II., the Regence, the* 1845, etc., which do not appear on the street in their pristine garb. In order to find one's way in this labyrinth of old and new fashions one has only to consult the McDowell Fashion Magazines, published at 4 West 14th Street, New York City. They furnish every needed information in a most practical manner. "Paris Album of Fashion" and "La Mode de Paris" are invaluable, and they each cost only $3.50 a year, or 35 cents a copy. "La Couturiere," price $3.00, or 30 cents a copy, gives the most practical styles in Paris. A Premium Book, "Dress-making Simplified" is given with each year's subscription for one of these Journals. "La Mode" is the greatest magazine of fashion for family use, costing only $1.50 per annum, or 15 cents a copy. If you cannot get these Journals from your newsdealers send to the publishers direct.

Misplaced Bragging.

He was a very tired looking man. Dejection was written on every line of his face, and as I was a stranger in the village with nothing to do and no one to talk to, I relieved my pent-up spirits by expressing my sympathy with him in his troubles, whatever they were.

"Thanks," he said. "My chief trouble seems to be that I am an idiot from idiotville, and that is incurable. I just got into a bragging match with a stranger up in the postoffice. He bet he was richer than I was, and I took him up, just for a bluff. I told him all I had and more, too, and after a while he gave in, saying he wouldn't have thought it. Then I said I'd swear to it, and he said all right, and I did; and by thunder, who do you suppose he was?"

"I don't know. Who?"

"The tax assessor!" he moaned.

It certainly was a case of hard luck.

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The case of Mrs. Edward Myers, of Athens, N. Y., furnishes an apt illustration of a woman's power of endurance. This lady had been treated for months in the usual way for **Erysipelas** of the hand, without benefit. Not until her hand had become a mass of **putrified flesh,** and her life **despaired** of, did she turn to **Dr. Kennedy,** proprietor of **FAVORITE REMEDY,** for help.

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LIFE Mrs. Myers would not have had to undergo this terrible ordeal, as it would have **saved her hand.**

Are you reader, troubled with **Erysipelas** or any **eruption of the skin,** it may be **Erysipelas** in its incipient stage—**don't trifle with it a moment,** but use **Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, it will cure you, for it is**

DEATH TO ERYSIPELAS.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Columbia County Agricultural Horticultural and Mechanical Association, for the election of officers and transaction of any other proper business, will be held in the Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Saturday, January 21st, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Article 3, of the By-Laws and the proposed amendment to same are hereby printed in accordance with a resolution passed at the last annual meeting.

ARTICLE 3.—MEMBERS.

SECTION 1.—The association shall consist of such persons as shall signify their wish to become members and shall pay to the Treasurer or some other properly authorized person or officer of the association an initiation fee of one dollar or more as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2.—The Initiation fee of new members shall be paid on or before December 1st to entitle such member to vote at the annual election following.

SEC. 3—Whenever a member shall appear by the books of the Treasurer to have paid ten dollars in annual dues he shall become a Perpetual Member and be thereafter exempt from the payment of annual dues, Provided that said sum of Ten Dollars may be paid at the option of the member, either all at once, or in any sum annually not less than one dollar until the whole be paid. And provided also that any member who has already paid in the sum of Ten Dollars as appears on the books of the Treasurer shall be placed on the list of Perpetual Members.

SEC. 4.—Every Perpetual Member shall be entitled to a certificate signed by the President and Secretary of the Association, which certificate shall set forth that said member having paid the sum of Ten Dollars in annual dues has thereby become a Perpetual Member of said Association.

SEC. 5.—Certificates of Perpetual Membership may be transferred on the books of the Association and the Secretary is hereby authorized to make such transfer, and to issue a new certificate to the person named in the transfer to be endorsed on the old certificate on payment of the sum of one dollar to the Association.

SEC. 6.—No member who is in arrears shall be entitled to a membership ticket for the current year.

The following amendment to Article 3 of the By-Laws was offered.

SEC. 7.—When any member shall become in arrears for three annual dues his previous payments shall be forfeited to the Society and the Treasurer is hereby authorized immediately after each annual meeting to strike the names of all such from the roll of members. Such person after once having forfeited his membership can rejoin the society by complying with all the conditions and requirements governing his original entry after first paying to the Treasurer the three dollars unpaid dues, which together with the sum forfeited shall not be counted in making up the Ten Dollars necessary to be paid for a perpetual membership.

1-6-3t. A. N. YOST, Secretary.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Bloomsburg for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held on Tuesday the 10th day of January 1893, at the office of the bank, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

12-16-4t. E. B. TUSTIN, Cashier.

ELECTION NOTICE.

There will be an election of a Board of Directors of the Bloomsburg Banking Company, by the stockholders at the Banking House in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, January 10th, 1893, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to serve for the ensuing year. H. H. GROTZ,

12-30-2t. Cashier.

DIVORCE NOTICE.

To Lydia J. Kreamer, late of Chesshire County, New Hampshire.

Whereas John Kramer, your husband has filed a libel in the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County of Sept. Term, No. 295, 1892, praying a divorce against you. Now you are hereby notified and required to appear in said Court on or before Monday the twentith day of February next to answer the complaints of the said John Kramer, and in default of such appearance you will be liable to have a divorce granted in your absence.

JOHN MOUREY, Sheriff,

12-16-4t. Per M. W. Mourey, Deputy.

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Catawissa—Alfred Hower.
Centralia—John J. O'Donnell.
Centre—P. W. Hess,
Conyngham—Henry Tighe, Frank Bush, Anthony McDonald.
Greenwood—Turner Eyer, C. R. Henrie, John Shaffer, I. A. Dewitt.
Locust—E. C. Yeager.
Madison—Chas. Kreamer.
Mt. Pleasant—J. J. Crawford.
Roaringcreek—Michael Roaco, David H. Case.
Sugarloaf—John Stout, C. E. Yorks.

TRAVERSE JURORS, FIRST WEEK.

Beaver—Joseph Klingerman, Norman Cole.
Benton—Thomas Hartman, John Lazarus, A. L. Mellenry.
Berwick—H. F. Brittain, Harry Grozier, F. R. Jackson, H. F. Glen.
Bloom—Miles Ohl, Peter Jones, H. G. Housel, Wm. Shaffer, Sr., W. H. Millard, I. Maier.
Briarcreek—Daniel Albertson.
Catawissa—John Overdorf.
Centralia—Andrew Lenihan.
Centre—H. E. Knorr, Frank Fester.
Conyngham—James Mohan, J. George.
Greenwood—H. G. McHenry.
Hemlock—Jacob Andes.
Jackson—Wilson Albertson.
Locust—R. W. George, Daniel Honaberger, Solomon Snyder.
Main—N. H. W. Brown, Samuel Bitler.
Millin—John Kirkendall, Henry Nuss.
Montour—Daniel F. Baylor.
Mt. Pleasant—Emanuel Crawford.
Pine—George Ludwig.
Sugarloaf—S. B. Hess.

TRAVERSE JURORS, SECOND WEEK.

Beaver—Simon Hons, Joseph Davis.
Benton—L. B. Stiles, Wm. L. Cole.
Berwick—Charles Frantz, G. A. Buckingham, M. C. Johnson, Bruce Pursel, John H. Bredbender.
Bloom.—Elisha Williams, I. W. Niles, Robt. Runyon P. S. Moyer, Calvin Girton, Wm. Gertinger, J. K. Bittenbender, Horace J. Hartman, Silas Chamberlain, Wm. Krickbaum.
Catawissa—John Waltz, Jacob Bower, H. F. Spangler, Peter Fenstermacher.
Fishingcreek—Ira Richart.
Franklin—Wm. J. George.
Greenwood—W. J. Albertson, Eli Welliver.
Madison—J. E. Cotner, Francis Runyon, Emery Welliver.
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 1893.

Turn Over a New Leaf.

Make up your mind that your home shall be brighter and better by having this paper a regular visitor in it. A paper for every one —a **home** paper.

The Silk mill is working all night now.

Judge Ikeler is in Danville this week, holding court.

Begin the new year right by squarring up with the printer.

William Roan of Orangeville broke his leg while skating, last Friday.

The county auditors are at work on the accounts of the county treasurer and commissioners.

A handsome new team of iron grays now pull the coal wagon of D. W. Kitchen.

The Normal School began its winter term Tuesday. The attendance is large.

Joseph Ratti intends to erect six more houses on sixth street, this spring.

L. R. Bomboy has been clerking at Dentler's shoe store the past two weeks.

The funeral of Capt. John Guild took place on Sunday afternoon, from the residence of T. J. Barton

Fine music, fine singing, fine dancing, are leading features of Little Trixie at opera house January 10th.

The *Scientific American*, or *Town Topics* for the coming year can be obtained cheap at this office. tf.

Joseph Runk, of Juniata township, Huntingdon county, killed a hog recently that weighed 697 pounds.

Mr. Sherwood has rented E. A. Rawling's house on Fourth street, and will move there April 1st.

Many of our exchanges issue no paper this week. THE COLUMBIAN appears every week in the year.

The merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla is proven by the many wonderful cures it is accomplishing. It is just the medicine for you.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will have a chicken and flannel cake supper in the Parish House next Thursday evening, 12th inst, price 25 cents.

The School Furnishing Company started up again on Wednesday, after a stop of a couple of weeks to take account of stock.

Will T. Snyder of Berwick presented the P. O. S. of A. of that borrough, with a handsome flag on Christmas.

"Little Trixie" is a legitimate musical comedy, full of pathos and humor. Go and see it—you will enjoy it. Opera House, January 10th.

C. W. McKelvy will move from Mrs. Butler's house on Rock street to the house of I. W. McKelvy on Iron street next to the Reformed church, on April 1st.

The Misses Runyon and a number of their lady friends received New Year's calls on Monday evening at their home on Market street. Those present report a very pleasent time.

The winds from the North blows sharp and keen, and bad effects of colds are seen. One Minute Cough Cure so safe and sure, will quickly perform a wondrous cure. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y

The patrons of our Public schools should visit the Fifth street school building and thoroughly inspect the new addition. Those who have seen the building since finished pronounce the plan an excellent one and the building as comfortable as possible to make it. There are now over 350 scholars in attendance.

Emil Melhorn and Annie Loscher of Paterson, N. J, were married by Esq. Jacoby on Tuesday last. Mr. Melhorn is a silk weaver and they will make their home here.

A brilliant party was given by Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wirt at their residence last night. The music was furnished by an out of town orchestra, and was excellent. Dancing was indulged in to a late hour.

There is a display of hand-painted china in one of the show windows of W. S. Rishton's drug store. It is the work of Miss Dora Niles, and the painting is exquisitely done. The china is for sale.

"May Smith Robbins is the greatest little Irish comedienne and dancer that has ever appeared before a Chicago audience."—*Chicago News* Opera House, January 10.

Sweet breath, sweet stomach, sweet temper, all result from the use of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. W. S Rishton Druggist 10-14 1y

On Thursday afternoon of last week, a reception was held by Mrs. Welsh, Mrs. Cope and Mrs. Bakeless at the Normal School parlors., from four to eight o'clock. Delicious refreshments were served under the direction of William Housel, steward.

Hon E. M. Tewksbury and A. L. Fritz entered upon their work as members of the Legislature Monday. They are both old hands at it now—Mr. Tewksbury now serving his second term while Mr. Fritz is entering upon a third term at the work.

To all whom it may concern.—A sprain of the wrist or ankles is not an uncommon occurrence. It is well to know that a few applications of Salvation Oil well rubbed in will invariably produce the desired result—an entire cure. 25c.

Senator Herring left Bloomsburg Monday to enter upon his duties at Harrisburg. The first week will be given to appointments of committees, and general routine work, but after the first week his constituents can look for him to be always at Harrisburg attending to the work in charge.

Issachar Evans of Bloomsburg made us his usual New Year's call early Monday morning. It was to renew his subscription to THE COLUMBIAN and New York *World*. Mr. Evans has made such a New Year's call for the past seventeen years. He always comes early the first day except when it occurs on the Sabbath—then he calls the first day following.

William F. Bodine and C. E. Savage went out fox hunting one day last week to the Nob Mountain, back of Foundryville. They saw two foxes but did not catch any that day, and came home without their dogs. Mr. Savage's dogs have not returned yet. According to information received on a postal card supposed to have been written at Salem, it is likely the dogs are still in pursuit of a fox.

J. W. Mears & Co. have bought out the foundry of B. F. Sharpless, consisting of castings, stoves, tinware, patterns, flasks, engine, boiler and every thing appertaining to the business, and are moving them down to their washing machine works where they will erect a building and carry on the foundry business in connection with their washing machine and general planing mill business.

They expect to be ready to run the foundry in thirty days, and will keep on hand or make to order all the stove repairs heretofore kept by Mr. Sharpless, and also do a general line of light casting. Mr. Sharpless will convert his foundry building into dwelling houses.

George J. Gould since the death of his father is said to have received an average of four letters of advice daily. All of the cranks in the country, forgetful of the facts that young Mr. Gould was associated with his father in business for twelve years, and that he had almost entire control of affairs for the last two years, are eager to tell the young man how to manage the vast estate in his charge. A goodly proportion of these would-be advisers are anxious to have a share of the Gould millions diverted into religious and charitable channels. One writer advises the Gould children to build the largest and finest church in the world, as a memorial of their father.

Thousands of housekeepers who are not able to use the fruit every day, are only too glad to get so good a substitute as Bull's Head Flavoring Extracts. Price 10 cts.

In Case of Diptheria.

First, strips of linen or cotton fabrick, about eight inches wide, folded several times, and long enough to reach from ear to ear, should be rung out of ice water (if in winter), and if in summer put directly upon ice, and then applied externally to the throat, and as fast as one cloth gets warm another should be ready to take its place, writes C. G. B. Klophel, M. D., in the January *Ladies' Home Journal*. If the child complains of being cold, its feet and hands should be bathed in as hot water as it can stand. When the child is very young, it may be readily ascertained if it be cold by feeling its hands and head. Under no circumstances should hot applications be made to the throat. If the child is old enough, it may be given broken ice to suck constantly, even if the water is spit out. The cold applications inhibit the growth of the microbes. The patient's hands should be washed frequently—and here let me say so should those of the attendants—and the vessel used for the purpose should not be used by any one else. The patient's clothing needs protection in front. This may be done by pinning back of the neck a large piece of linen or cotton fabric, which will cover the whole front of the child and reach as far as the knees. A material should be used which can easily be boiled or burned when soiled. The little patient, if old enough, will want to spit, and for a spittoon a small wooden box, with an inch of sawdust on the bottom, is capital. Fresh sawdust should be supplied at least once a day—three times a day would be better—and that which has been used should be emptied upon a good, hot fire, and thus burned at the time the change is made. If there are any flies about, the box should be kept covered, and, as a matter of course, only uncovered when the patient desires to spit; otherwise, the flies alighting upon this spittle would carry the germs of the disease with them, and then alighting upon the family's food and drink, necessarily infect them, and thus indirectly infect the whole family. This is by no means chimerical, but a well-established fact.

Success in everything depends largely upon good health. De Witt's Little Early Riser are little health producing pills. See the point? Then take an "Early Riser." W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y

HOLD THE FORT.

This little book which came from the press a few weeks ago, is becoming popular and is meeting with a ready sale. The leading church papers of different denominations have highly commended it to their readers, and the author has received many kind letters concerning it. The following letter is from a Reverend gentleman who is considered an extensive reader of religious books and a competent judge of their merit:

New Berlin, Union Co. Pa; Dec. 22, 1892.

Rev. A Houtz A. M., Orangeville Pa.

Dear friend and brother! Some time ago I had the pleasure of reading your interesting and instructive book entitled "Hold the Fort." I have not enjoyed so much reading a book intended expressly for the young, since I read in my yonnger days the book of Newton on religious subjects for children. The quality and character of "Hold the Fort" are far in advance of the average Sunday School literature. While style is plain, clear and straight forward, it abounds in apt illustrations and appropriate similies. A book after all, derives its worth from the spirit and character of its author. For what we do, depends upon what we are; and what we are, depends upon what we receive; and what we receive, depends upon our fellowship with Christ. As some pious soul has expressed the idea in more touching and beautiful language. "The help which is done upon earth, Christ doeth it all Himself." The heart acquaintance of the author with Christ is the best reputation for "Hold the Fort," and this is the reason why I should like to see the work commented upon from the pulpit, and the work introduced in every Sunday Shool and family in the Church. Home has been truly styled the vestibule of Heaven. Home is the mother's place, where she holds eternal vigilance over her children. Here character is built, here she keeps the boys and girls close to her love so as to save them from sorrow and shame afterwards: What better books could a mother select than this to read, and to interpret its principles in her family. I would cheerfully recommend it to every good mother, for it wisely covers all the religious subjects her children should be informed on.

Yours very gratefully.

S. Sidney Kohler

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A slight fire occurred at the Bloomsburg Car Shops last Thursday morning, about four o'clock. It was extinguished before much damage was done.

KNIGHTS OF THE GOLDEN EAGLE.

The following are the Officers of Theta Castle, No. 276 of Bloomsburg for the ensuing six months' term:

Past Chief, C. T. Hendershott.
Noble Chief, R. D. Young.
Vice Chief, Joseph Bidleman.
High Priest, George Stineman.
Venerable Hermit, J. W. Moyer.
Master of Records, Guy Jacoby.
Clerk of Exchequer, John W. Davis.
Keeper of Exchequer, Chas. W. Funston.
Sir Herald, Chas. A Pollock.
Worthy Bard, W. D. Cosgrove.
Worthy Chamberlain, O. W. Ent.
Ensign, George C Roan.
Esquire, George W. Kahler.
First Guardsman, Joseph Hazledine.
Second Guardsman, W. J. Shutt.
Trustees, S. W. Shutt, George C. Roan, Joseph Bidleman.
Representative to the Grand Castle, George C. Roan.

Directors in Attendance.

The following is a list of directors who attended the meeting during teachers' Institute:

Beaver, J. F. Fritz; Benton, C. Albertson, C. A. Kase; Bloom, J. C. Brown, J. R. Townsend, Jos. Garrison, R. R. Little and J. K. Bittenbender; Briarcreek, A. B. Croop, M. H. Petty, Newman Bower; Catawissa, W. B. Roberts, Dr. L. B. Kline, J. B. Yetter; Centre, D. Whitmire, J. W. Miller; Fishingcreek, E. M. Laubach, T. H. Edgar, W. C. Penington; Franklin, Harry Gottschall, Jonathan Loreman, Sylvester Shultz; Greenwood, J. W. Albertson, C. F. Robinson; Hemlock, Harry Dighmiller; Jackson, G. W. Farver; Locust, C. Fetterman, Christain Small; Madison, John Howell, J. L. Moser; Montour, G. Y. Mowery, D. Cotner; Main, W. S. Fisher; Millville, G. H. Moore, D. F. Hering; Mt. Pleasant, A. W. Melick; Orange, H. C. Seesholtz; Roaringcreek, E. M. Kunkle, P. Fetterman, Peter Hower; Scott, G. W. Kressler; Sugarloaf, J. W. Perry, R. M. Davis, J. G. Laubach, C. D. Cole. A total of 45 a gain of 13 over last year.

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Bal. on hand from last year	$ 155 01
Amt. Rec'd from County	200 00
" " " teachers	229 00
" " " sale of tickets	330 50
Total	$ 914 51

EXPENDITURES.

Paid lecturers and instructors	$ 685 78
Paid for Opera House and use of Piano.	85 00
Paid Secretary, Treasurer, Door keepers, Expressage, Telegrams. postage &c.	31 33
Paid for printing	21 50
" " Janitors	12 25
Total	$ 835 86
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Wheat per bushel	1.00
Corn ears " "	.60
Oats " "	.40
Rye " "	.80
Buckwheat flour per 100	2.40
Wheat flour per bbl	5.00
Hay per ton	12.00
Potatoes per bushel	.90
Turnips " "	.25
Onions " "	1.00
Sweet potatoes per peck	.25 to .35
Cranberries per qt	.12
Tallow per lb	.04
Shoulder " "	.12
Side meat " "	.09
Vinegar, per qt	.08
Dried apples per lb	.05
Dried cherries, pitted	.18
Raspberries	.18
Cow Hides per lb	.03
Steer " " "	.05
Calf Skin	.40 to .50
Sheep pelts	.90
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Bran, "	1.25
Chop "	1.25
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SENTIMENTAL BEINGS

MALE ARTISTS ARE MIGHTY QUEER FELLOWS WHEN SINGLE.

The Painter of Figures Is Naturally Romantic and Very Easily and Very Readily Falls in Love—His Income, However, Often Serves to Keep Him Single.

Very few of our younger artists are married, but it may be accepted as a fact that they all want to be. Cupid finds no mark so tempting to his shaft as that presented by a painter at his easel. Studio life and sentiment are almost synonymous terms. Why this should be so is easily explained. An artist's life is almost invariably a lonely one. No matter how sociable his temperament may be, his working hours are generally spent in silence and seclusion. Being essentially of a sensitive nature he longs for such sympathy as women alone can give. The failure of a picture or its complete success are matters that require more condolence or congratulation than can be expressed by a brother painter. The kindliest of neighbors cannot go further than to say: "Look here, old fellow, I am awful sorry that they sent your picture back from the academy. It's a beastly shame. That's what I call it." Or: "By Jove, old man, you're in luck. I know lots of fellows with a big name who have been working for a year back to catch the Shaw or Evans prize, and you got it away from 'em all. But you always were a lucky dog."

A woman does these things better. That is the reason he wants to marry her. The painter is naturally romantic In his opinion girlhood is always angelic. He may have individual preference for blonds or brunettes, for little or tall or intellectual or womanly women, but the entire sex is still beautiful to him, not perhaps in its physical features, but in its mental possibilities. Hence he is always in love and restrained from matrimony only by the difficulty of supporting two people on an income that is barely sufficient for one. To be an artist you must be an idealist. Studio life has extraordinary vicissitudes at times, but it is always made up more or less of visionary elements. Occasionally the artist's dreams turn into nightmares, and he has a very bad quarter of an hour. But when events disillusionize him he mopes for a short period and proceeds to fall in love with a new charmer.

Last spring two young men, one a painter, his companion a sculptor, were joint occupants of a studio in New York. These departments of art do not always agree, inasmuch as the dust and dirt of a sculptor's modeling platform interfere considerably with the purity of a portrait maker's paints. But neither of the young fellows was rich, and by clubbing together they managed to pay the rent of a larger studio than they could have had separately. The sculptor made as little dust as possible and kept it well down by frequently using a water sprinkler. Not to be behindhand in courtesy, the painter was patient, and by keeping a sheet of drapery in constant readiness was enabled instantly to cover his canvas when his comrade unavoidably threw out a cloud of powdered plaster of paris. They were comrades in every sense of the word, and had a union of pocketbooks as well as of sympathies. On one occasion the sculptor was so hard up on the final receipt of a commission for a large statue that he was unable to buy the clay necessary for his model, whereupon the painter denied himself cigars, took to a pipe and by this economy got enough money to pay for the necessary materials.

Some time afterward the artist received an important order and had not the wherewithal to purchase the large canvas essential for its execution. The sculptor said nothing, but putting on his street coat went out for a walk. An hour later he came back accompanied by a boy, and between them they carried a canvas twelve feet long by six wide. It was a windy day, and the sculptor was quite exhausted by the effort of getting his unruly burden past gusty corners. But after a few minutes' breathing spell the two friends embraced each other affectionately and went to work in their respective corners. So ideal a friendship as this ought to have lasted throughout a lifetime. But an event happened which changed the current of amiability in the studio and estranged the two young men so that at present they are not even nodding acquaintances.

One day the painter received an order for a sketch of a man in armor. The sculptor readily consented to pose for his friend, and after some effort finally got himself buckled into a suit of mail. By one of those accidents that sometimes occur at the most inopportune times the sculptor's fiancee happened to call at the studio chaperoned by a lively married relative. In order to get into the armor the sculptor, who is of large frame, had to strip to the skin. To get out of the suit of mail was not to be considered. So he had to stand awkwardly listening to the merry laughter of the ladies over his comical appearance. His fiancee, encouraged by the witty comments of her friend, made such fun of the unfortunate sculptor that he became furious and broke off the engagement. That evening he employed a truckman and removed all his things from the studio without vouchsafing as much as goodby to his chum. The experience effected an entire change in his opinion of the ladies. His first inamorata was a tall, distinguished looking brunette. He is now engaged to a little, round faced blond, who, despite her resemblance to a French doll, is declared by him to be the epitome of all the charms and graces of womanhood.—New York Sun.

Artificial Thunder.

A miniature thunder factory has been constructed for the science and art department at South Kensington, England, with plates seven feet in diameter, which, it is believed, would give sparks thirty inches long, but no Leyden jars have been found to stand its charge, all being pierced by the enormous tension.—New York Telegram.

GRAINS OF GOLD.

There is no pride like that of a beggar grown rich.—Mothe.

The man that looks at everything through money never sees far.

It is the struggle and not the attainment that measures character.

There is no better excess in the world than the excess of gratitude.

Be silent where reason is not regarded and truth is distasteful.—T. Fuller.

Some women go to church to study the texts, and some to study the textures.

The great secret of success in life is to be ready when the opportunity comes. Beaconsfield.

Harsh counsels have no effect; they are like hammers which are always repulsed by the anvil.

We erected the idol "Self" and not only wish others to worship it, but we worship it ourselves.

All true work is sacred. In all work, were it but true hand labor, there is something of divineness.

One's self-satisfaction is an untaxed kind of property, which it is very unpleasant to find depreciated.

As we must render an account of every idle word, so must we likewise of our idle silence.—Cranmer.

Perhaps all men can not be successful, but every one can make up his mind that he will deserve to be.

Man is never so unhappy as when he hates his brother, and never so happy as when he loves him.

The road to ambition is too narrow for friendship, too crooked for love, too rugged for honesty and too dark for science.

Friends are as companions on a journey, who ought to aid each other to persevere in the road to a happy life.—Pythagoras.

As there are no blessings which may not be perverted into evils, so there are no trials which may not be converted into blessings.

Enforced companionship without congeniality is one of the miseries of life, and by no means one of the least common miseries either.

All the precepts of the divine law are linked together. Negligence in one single point may lead to the destruction of all.—St. John Chrysostom.

Duty rounds the whole of life, from our entrance into it until our exit from it—duty to superiors, duty to inferiors, duty to equals—duty to man and duty to God.—Smiles.

To-day's privileges can not be enjoyed nor to-day's duties discharged to-morrow. To-morrow may never come. If it does come it will bring its own privileges and duties—privileges made less and duties made greater by to-day's neglect.

Looking to others for our standard of happiness is a sure way to be miserable. Our business is with our own hearts and our own motives. And you can not borrow time. There is no interest accumulating on the days as we pass them by. Every night the account is closed.

SCIENTIFIC BREVITIES.

Professor Pickering reports the discovery of forty small lakes in Mars.

Experience in electrical welding shows that the metal is strengthened at the point of welding.

Some recent investigators claim that the sweetness and fragrance of the very best butter is due to a certain beneficent species of bacteria.

Aluminium sheets will make a much more durable and satisfactory roofing than sheet copper, now generally used in valuable buildings.

It is said that on an average one operation per day is made in New York for the removal of the vermiform appendix, the worm-like termination of the big intestine.

Chlorine gas, decomposed from sea water by means of electrical machines, is employed for disinfecting the hold, store-room, etc., of vessels of the Italian navy.

The zinc-tannin process of preparing wood to resist decay is proving a great success. It hardens the wood and makes it much more useful, especially when used for railroad ties.

The new explosive, ammonite, by the use of electric firing and careful tamping, does away with flames, and, is in consequence, being introduced in mines where the gases exist in explosive proportions.

The investigations of English and German experts are such as to lead them to limit the life of iron bridges to seventy-five years, and in many instances a shorter period of use makes them unsafe.

If it were possible to cut sections out of the side of soap bubbles and then by some delicate contrivance handle the pieces, there would be required 50,000,000 films laid one upon another to make a pile one inch in height.

Among the most remarkable inventions at the paper exhibit at Berlin was a set of paper teeth made by a Lubec dentist in 1878. They have been in constant use for more than thirteen years, and show absolutely no wear whatever.

It has been found that bicyclists who ride to excess are afflicted with a catarrhal laryngitis. Mouth breathing and the rapidity and pressure with which large quantities of air are forced into the larynx are said to be the cause.

Prim, a chemical expert, has determined by scientific investigation that the air of London is purest at about thirty or forty feet from the ground, lower than that the dust is encountered, and higher than that the smoke from the chimneys reaches.

Experiments are being tried in Germany in making horseshoes of a material the chief constituent of which is paper. It is said to fit the hoof better than the iron shoe, to be impervious to water, and to grow rough under use, so as to become a safeguard against slipping.

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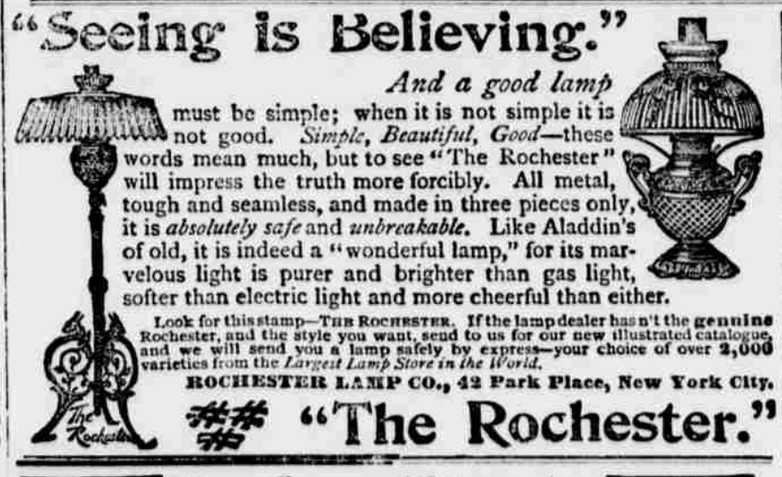

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CALIFORNIA HERMITS.

Men Passing Their Lives in Idle Solitude on the Mountain Tops.

Is man essentially a social animal? The scientists say so. But in the mountains of California there are almost enough men who for years have led a life of utter solitude to disprove the generalization. These mountain hermits can be found scattered through the Sierras and the coast range from one end of the state to the other. They are particularly numerous through this region, centering about the Yosemite valley and extending far back into the high Sierras. Some of them were once guides in the valley, others have been miners, and some again seem to have taken up the life of solitude simply because they like it.

To this class belongs old P. R. Gibson—"Old Gib," as he is generally called—who lives on a mountain ranch. He is seventy-five years old, but is possessed of as much physical strength and endurance as the average man of half his age. He came thirty years ago from Tennessee, where he left a wife and a large family of children. One of his sons came to see him recently and tried to induce him to visit his former home, but "Old Gib" steadfastly refused to leave his little ranch and solitary cabin. He has never seen a railroad, and the stage drivers from the nearest station try their utmost to persuade him to go to town and at least look at a train of cars. But his invariable answer is: "Do you think I'm going down there to be blowed up by one of them there blamed engines? Not much!"

Nearly all the men who live this life of solitude very long get a bit queer in the head, and "Old Gib" is no exception to the rule. He has a rigmarole description of himself which declares that he is "the best man in the United States or adjoining territories, either directly or indirectly, financially, commercially, ecclesiastically or unchurchified." The old man is a hard worker, and when he is not busy on his ranch he is working energetically making "shakes"—that is, clapboards split and sawed by hand from big pine trees.

Old man Lambert, who has a cabin in the high Sierras some thirty miles back of the Yosemite, is another of the mountain hermits. He has neither ranch nor mining claim, but lives by what he shoots and by an occasional few dollars earned from camping parties. He has lived alone in that same spot for years and years, and will in all likelihood stay there until he dies. There are months at a time that he does not see another human being. A party of campers one summer found him making a huge stone wall that seemed to have no purpose whatever. In surprise they asked him what he was piling up those stones for.

"Why," he said, "a man's got to do something, up here alone, or he'll go wrong, sure."—Cor. Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle.

Schooling at Twenty Dollars a Year.

However moderate the expenses of a student of the present time may be they can hardly reach the extremely modest sum which sufficed for Jean Marmontel, a French poet, during the reign of Louis XV, for a year's schooling. In his "Memoirs" he speaks of his school life as follows:

I was lodged, as was the custom of the school, with five other scholars at the house of an honest mechanic.

My provisions for a week consisted of a large loaf of rye bread, a little cheese, a piece of bacon and two or three pounds of beef. My mother had added to them a dozen apples.

This was the weekly provision of the best fed scholar of the school. The mistress of the house cooked for us, and for her trouble, her fire, her lamp, her beds, her housroom, including even the vegetables of her little garden which she used for our soup, each of us gave her twelve pence halfpenny a month.

Reckoning everything except my clothes, I cost my father between four and five pounds a year. This was much to him and an expense of which I was very anxious to see him relieved.

How It Feels to Be in a Railway Wreck.

"A man who has never been in a wreck wouldn't believe how long it takes for the cars to get through piling up," said another. "After the first crash there is a rebound clear to the back of the train, and then the whole thing takes another lunge, something gives way, and maybe three or four more cars telescope. Then there's another jerk backward and another lunge, and it seems as if the cracking and groaning and tumbling keep on for five minutes. When a man is mixed up with the trucks under the whole stack it seems like an hour."

"Make it an hour and a half," said an ex-brakeman as he scratched his nose with the only clawlike finger remaining at the end of a twisted and shriveled stump of a hand. The crowd knew how he had been dug out with a derrick and laughed at the joke.—Chicago News-Record.

King's Daughters in Turkey.

Smyrna, Turkey, has an active circle of King's Daughters engaged in the practical charitable work for which this order is noted. By sewing, embroidering, scrubbing floors, blackening shoes, or any work for which money would be paid, they have distributed rice and coal among the poor, visited the sick, educated children, provided medicines, paid rents and done other similar acts of charity. On holidays they divide into committees for the purpose of decorating the rooms where poor families live and providing small remembrances for the children.—New York Sun.

Never Reads Criticisms.

Mr. Santley, the eminent baritone, declares that since 1861 he has rarely read a criticism that has been passed upon his singing. In that year he was taken severely to task for a performance at the Birmingham festival, and the remarks of the caustic critic so affected him that he determined to read no more criticisms. If other performers, distinguished and not distinguished, would follow this example, what heartburnings would be saved!—London Tit-Bits.

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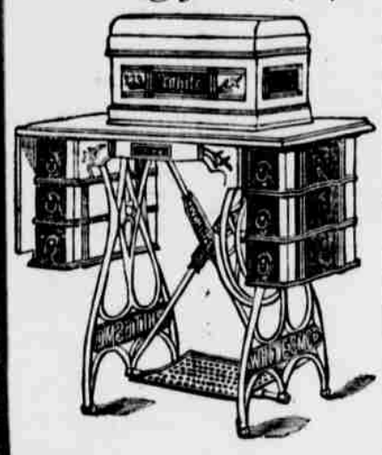

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Human nature is strongly portrayed in thess places. Humor sometimes is found. Some horses are burdened with such strange, inappropriate names that it is a wonder they are able to run a mile. Public, famous, and historic names are drawn upon to designate the horse. Pet names, Indian names, and unpronounceable combinations of letters are called into service. The English dictionary is used, and sometimes it seems as though the owners had searched the Sanskrit of the Mahabharata to find some sort of appellation. Some ordinary names are funny under certain conditions, as when the announcer calls out: "Headlight leads." "Indiarubber in the stretch." The latter is an old joke with horsemen, but it never fails to arouse a laugh when those really leads. A very funny incident happened during the present season. Two horses with similar name were in one race. Stonenell and Stonemason were the two, and on one(Iforget which) were "long odds," while the other was a "short horses." Stonenell, for example, was 8 to 5, while Stonemason was 20 to 1 to win. A young man at the pool-rooms put up four dollars on Stonemason, having a faint very faint, chance to win eighty dollars The race was run, Stonenell in the lead all the time, Stonemason not heard from. At the finish, however, the man called out, "Stonemason wins." The young man with the ticket was simply enraptured. Without waiting for verification from the race track, he invited a friend out to celebrate the luck. While the young man was absent word was received over the wire that the operator had made a mistake, and that Stonenell had won. The change was made on the board, and the returns having been made straight, the tickets were paid. At this juncture the happy youth returned and looked up at the board, and nearly collapsed.

"What's the matter? "asked his friend.

"Matter!" he cried. "Don't you see? Stonemason wasn't in it. I didn't think he would win: but after the race was announced, with Stonemason winner, I spent every single cent I had in celebrating;" and he went forth broken in heart and pocket.

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BITS OF INFORMATION.

The pine tree is said to attain the age of 500 to 700 years.

Palestine is about one-fourth as large as the State of New York.

The Australian dog and the Egyptian shepherd dog never bark.

Ten days per annum is the average amount of sickness in human life.

The Grand Army now has 7,568 posts, and an aggregate membership of 407,781.

A ballot-box was first used in England in the election of Aldermen of London in 1526.

Chicago is a city of high livers. People reside in fourteen and fifteen-story flats there.

Man is a pore creature at best. The average human body is punctured with 7,000,000 of them.

The dorking fowl is the only living bird that, in the adult condition, possesses a five-toed foot.

"The cup that cheers but not inebriates" was sung by the English poet Cowper in his "Task."

The Desert of Sahara has almost exactly the same number of square miles that the United States has.

Calico is derived from Calicut, on the Malabar coast, and muslin from Mousseoul, a city of Asiatic Turkey.

In 1841 each individual consumed thirteen ounces of tobacco; in 1891 he consumed twenty-six ounces.

Professor Huxley says that an oyster is a far more complicated piece of machinery than the finest Swiss watch.

The Japanese community in San Francisco, Cal., and neighborhood, numbers about twenty-five hundred.

Customs differ widely. Some of the African tribes pull their fingers till the joints crack as a form of salutation.

In China wealthy people buy their coffins long before they need them, and exhibit them as ornamental pieces of furniture.

There are said to be eleven hundred and forty-two patent remedies for cholera in the list at the United States Patent Office.

Elevators were used 2,000 years ago in the Coliseum at Rome to bring up to the arena the wild beasts from the underground dens.

The British Isles comprise no fewer than 1,000 separate islands and islets, without counting mere jutting rocks or isolated pinnacles.

The only city in the world on the line of the equator is Quito, and there the sun rises and sets at the same hour all the year round—6 o'clock.

Blankets, it is said, were named after their first makers, three brothers of Bristol, England, named Edward, Edmund and Thomas Blanket.

According to the new British postal regulations, a foreign letter may be of any weight, but must not exceed two feet in length, or one foot in breadth or depth.

A medical authority states that the voices of singers and actors can be much better preserved if used in theaters lighted with electricity rather than gas.

The sun is 93,000,000 of miles from the earth. How long would it take to go to the sun, traveling thirty miles an hour, night and day? Three hundred and fifty years.

The greatest number of deaths from earthquake shock was at Yeddo, Japan, in 1703, when 190,000 people it is estimated, lost their lives in the terrible seismic upheaval.

In South Greenland the color of the hair ribbon which a woman ties around her head denotes the social condition of the wearer—whether she be maid, wife or widow.

As horse trainers can do a great many wonderful things, why can they not train a fairly good horse to arch his neck on the road without the use of the barbarous check-rein?"

The first Union flag was unfurled January 1, 1776, over the camp at Cambridge, Mass. It had thirteen stripes of white and red and retained the British cross in one corner.

The leading theologians of the world, who have been figuring from scriptual and other data for some time, have come to the conclusion that Christ was crucified shortly after 9 o'clock on the morning of Friday, April 10th, A. D., 30.

The term "tabby cat" is derived from Atab, a famous street in Bagdad, inhabited by the manufacturers of silken stuff called atibi or taffety. The stuff is woven with waved markings or watered silk resembling a "tabby" cat's coat.

A cigar contains acetic, fomic, butyric, valeric and propionic acids, prussic acid, creosote, carbolic acid, ammonia, sulphuretted hydrogen pyridine, viridine, picoline and rubidine, to say nothing of cabagine and burdockic acid, says the Pittsburg *Dispatch*.

Where the Money Is.

There are fifteen National banks in New York city which have deposits exceeding fifteen million dollars each, the largest amount being thirty-three million dollars in the National Park Bank, and the next largest amount twenty-five million in the Chemical National. Ten banks have over fifteen million dollars each loaned, the National Park having the largest amount, and the First National the second largest.

Engravings of Animals.

In former days, when gems were engraved with animals or reptiles, each had its own signification. A serpent indicated wisdom, and with its tail in its mouth it symbolized eternity. The owl was reflection—not wisdom, as is commonly thought. Bacchus engraved on a gem was often accompanied by a parrot, representing the loquacious disposition of the inebriate. Women commonly wore stones engraved with scorpions, spiders or other poisonous things as a protection against like objectionable creatures.

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SALE.

Jan. 7.—F. D. Dentler and D. C. Pursel, administrators of Sylvester Pursel, deceased, will sell valuable real estate in Hemlock township at 1.30 p. m. See advertisement.

JAN. 14. John Mourey, trustee will sell valuable real estate in Bloomsburg at 10 o'clock a. m. on the premises. See advertisment.

JANUARY 18. T. M. Brown will sell valuable personal property on the premises on Fourth street, between Iron and Centre. Stoves, carpets and good bedding, quilts, &c. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, in the afternoon.

JAN. 24,—A. L. Kline, administrator of Elon Kline, deceased, will sell valuable real estate on the premises in Orange township, at ten o'clock a. m. See advertisment.

FEB 11.—William Oman will sell valuable personal property on his premises in Mt. Pleasant township, at one o'clock p. m.

MAR. 6, J. C. Rhone will sell valuable personal property on the premises of W. A. Leiser in Madson township mile and a half east of White Hall at 9 a. m. horses, cattle, etc.

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The sale of the "Sankey Farm" by the Executors of Isaac S. Kuhn, is adjourned to Saturday, January 14, 1893, at the Court House in Bloomsburg, at one o'clock in the afternoon. See advertisement.

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The undersigned Administrators of the estate of Sylvester Pursel, late of the township of Hemlock, County of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, will expose to Public Sale, upon the premises on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 1893,

at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of the said County of Columbia, that certain tract of land, late of the said deceased, situate in the aforesaid township of Hemlock, bounded by lands of Richard Ivey, Edward Ivey, the homestead tract of the said deceased, lands of the estate of Mrs. Unangst, deceased, Hugh W. and Sanford Appleman, containing about one hundred and eighty-five acres reserving the mineral rights of the Bloomsburg Iron Company. The same to be sold subject to the mortgage of Anna A. Butler, et al.

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TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per centum of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute; and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nisi, with interest from that date. F. D. DENTLER,
D. C. PURSEL,
Dec. 16, 4t Administrators.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned executors of the last will and testament of Isaac S. Kuhn, late of Bloomsburg, deceased; by virtue of authority and direction in the said last will contained, will expose to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg on

SATURDAY, JAN. 14, 1893,

at one o'clock in the afternoon,

the well known "Sankey Farm," being all that certain messuage and tract, piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Scott, in the county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning at a stone in line of land of George Zeigler, thence by the same and lands late of William McKelvy & Co., thence by the same and lands late of Mathias Shaffer, thence by the same and lands late of Andrew Creveling, thence by the same and lands late of H. B. Mellick, thence by the same and along the public road leading from Bloomsburg, to Orangeville, thence along the same and by lands of William Kressler, and thence by the same &c., to the place of beginning: containing one hundred and thirty-nine acres and one hundred and twenty perches of land, be the same more or less; with the appurtenances, whereon are erected a

STONE DWELLING HOUSE,

with frame kitchen, a large bank barn and outbuildings, with abundant water—an orchard of various fruit trees. There is also on and belonging to the farm a considerable deposit of

IRON ORE,

of an excellent quality.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent of one fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. on the 1st day of April, 1893, the remaining three-fourths on the 1st day of April 1894, with interest from April 1st, 1893, to be secured by bond and mortgage upon the premises.

Possession and a deed will be delivered April 1st, 1893, upon the purchaser complying with the above terms of sale. The mortgage and bond to be at the cost of purchaser. The grain in the ground is reserved with the right of the tenant to harvest and thresh and carry away the same, The straw, hay or manure of the same to be left on the premises.

MRS. SUSAN KUHN,
JOHN G. FREEZE, Attorney. JOSEPH G. WELLS, Executors.
Dec. 9th, '92, 4t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Tyson deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to make distribution of the funds in the hands of Wilson Yeager Administrator of the estate of Joseph Tyson late of Locust township, said County, deceased, will sit to discharge the duties of his appointment on Tuesday the 10th day of January, A. D. 1893, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of W. H. Rhawn in the town of Catawissa said County, when and where all persons interested in said estate shall appear and present their claims or be forever debarred from sharing in said fund. FRED IKELER,
Auditor
12-23-4t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Aaron Mostellar, late of Mifflin township, dec'd.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pa., to make distribution of the funds in said estate, will meet the parties interested at his office in Catawissa, Pa., at 10 a. m., on Saturday, January 28th, 1893, when and where all parties interested will attend or be forever debarred from any share of said fund.
1-6-4t. W. H. RHAWN, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Alem Whitmire, deceased.

The undersigned an auditor appointed to the Orphans' Court of Columbia Co., to distribute the funds in the hands of the administrator of said estate as shown by his first and final account to Dec term, 1892, will sit to perform the duties of his appointment at his office in the Town of Bloomsburg upon Saturday, January 28, 1893, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when and where all parties having claims upon said fund must present the same or be forever barred from a share of the same.

WM. CHRISMAN,
12-30-4t. Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of David Geisinger, late of Scott township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of David Geisinger, late of Scott township, Col. Co., Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

MARGARET R. GEISINGER,
12-30-6t. Administratrix.

Lots for Sale.

Town lots for sale on Tenth, Eleventh, and Harriet streets, near Brass and Copper Works. Persons desiring cheap homes will do well to see them before purchasing elsewhere.

JACOB DIEFFENBACH, Agt.
12-9-3m

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTES.

Next week a number of local Sunday School Institutes will be held, at all of which Prof. J. A. Sprenkel, the State field secretary is expected to assist.

Centralia—Monday, January 9th, Evening.

Catawissa—Tuesday, January 10th, afternoon and evening.

Orangeville—Wednesday, January 11th, afternoon and evening.

Espy—Thursday January 12th, afternoon and evening.

Lime Ridge—Thursday, January 12th, evening only.

Mifflinville—Friday, January 13th, afternoon and evening.

Bloomsburg — Saturday, January 14th, afternoon and evening.

A. W. SPEAR, County Sec'y.

The young men and young women who aspire to obtain Academic or College educations, and whose parents cannot well afford them that expense, will be interested in the work of the Cosmopolitan Magazine, which has offered for the year 1893 one thousand scholarships at any of the leading colleges or schools of the United States, upon the condition of introducing the magazine into certain neighborhoods. Yale, Vassar, Harvard, Ann Arbor, Chicago, the Southern colleges, the great schools of art and medicine, all are alike open to the ambitious boy or girl who is not afraid of a little earnest work. The Cosmopolitan sends out from its New York office a handsomely printed pamphlet to any applicant, telling just what is necessary in order to secure one of the scholarships. The scholarship itself includes board, lodging, laundry and tuition—all free.

A CONCERT.

An entertainment will be given in the Episcopal Parish House on Thursday evening. January 19th. It will consist of vocal and instrumental music, solos, quartettes and choruses, readings by Prof. Butts, &c. The price of admission has been fixed at the low price of 35 cents. There is room for 300 people in the Parish House, and everybody is invited. The proceeds will be used in paying off a debt incurred by the choir for vestments, choir stalls, furniture, &c, and to purchase much needed new hymnals.

Columbus Postage Stamp.

The new postage stamp known as the Columbus Postage Stamp has made its appearance. In size, it is as long as the former two-cents stamps and nearly twice as wide. It bears this inscription "1492-1892 United States of America, Postage two cents," then a picture of Columbus and his men, underneath which are the words "Landing of Columbus". The stamp is supposed to take the place of our present two cent stamp and will soon be on sale at every post-office.

Piles of people have piles, but De Witt's Witch azel Salve will cure them. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y

OUR CLUB RATES FOR 1893.

For the coming year we make the following liberal offers to all our subscribers in the county. Those who already take THE COLUMBIAN can avail themselves of any of these offers by paying up to date, and one year in advance. In the case of new subscribers the cash must be paid when the order is given. Sample copies of any of the papers named will be sent to any address in the county, free, on application.

To any one paying all arrearages and one dollar in advance we will send THE COLUMBIAN and *American Farmer* for one year. The latter is a monthly farm paper, and the regular price is one dollar a year.

We will send THE COLUMBIAN and New York weekly *World* one year for $1.80, regular price $2.00.

THE COLUMBIAN and Philadelphia weekly *Times* for $1.40, regular price $1.50.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Isaac S. Kuhn, dec'd.

Letters Testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them without delay to

MRS. SUSAN KUHN,
JOHN G. FREEZE, Attorney. JOSEPH G. WELLS.
12-9-6t.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE
OF VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of Columbia County the undersigned Administrators of Elon Kline, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, A. D. '93,

at ten o'clock A. M. of said day the following described valuable real estate, to wit; All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the township of Orange, County of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stone corner in line of lands of H. R. Kline, thence by lands of Abner Welsh, 18 and three-fourths degrees East 152 and two-tenths perches to a corner: thence by the same South 81 and one-fourth degrees East, 21 and three-tenths perches to a stone: thence by the same North 18 degrees East, 21 and four-tenths perches to a stone; thence by the same South 77 and one fourth degrees East, 46 and eight-tenths perches to a stone; thence by lands of William Long and James Campbell South 31 and one-fourth degrees West, 96 and five-tenths perches to a stone; thence by the same North 87 and three-fourths degrees East, 55 and two-tenths perches to a corner; thence by lands of H. R. Kline, deceased, South 8 and one-half degrees East, 65 and six-tenths perches to a corner; thence by lands of Abraham L. Kline and H. R. Kline South 87 and three-fourths degrees West, 136 and seven-tenths perches to a stone at the place of beginning, containing 82 acres be the same more or less, on which is erected a two story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

large bank barn, wagon shed and other outbuildings, a good apple orchard and fruit of all kinds on the premises. A good spring of water at the door. About 12 acres of the above described land is timbered, the remainder is cleared and under a good state of cultivation.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per centum of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute; and the remaining three fourths in one year after confirmation nisi, with interest from that date. A. L. KLINE,
Purchaser to pay for deed. Administrator
12-23-3t.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned, Sheriff as Trustee appointed by the Orphans' Court of the county of Columbia, State of Penn'a,. will expose to public sale, upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14th 1893

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in pursuance of an order of the said Orphans' Court, a certain house and lot of land, late of the estate of John Whitenight, of the town of Bloomsburg, said county deceased, situate in the town of Bloomsburg aforesaid bounded and described as follows to wit: On the north by Third street, on the east by lot of Sarah A. Wilson, on the south by an Alley, on the west by lot of the estate of Peter Brugler deceased, being in width, fronting on said Third street, fifty seven feet more or less, and in depth two hundred and fourteen feet, more or less, with the appurtenances.

The said lot is in a pleasant location and central in the town of Bloomsburg; has upon it a

2 STORY FRAME DWELLING,

stable and other out-buildings; with fruit trees &c.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per centum of one-fourth of the purchase mony shall be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute; the one-twelfth, after deducting all costs and expenses shall remain for the use of Mrs. Elvina Whitenight during life; a like one-fourth shall remain for the use of Mahlon Hamlin during life; the remainder shall be paid in one year after confirmation nisi., with interest from the date of confirmation nisi. The terms will be more particularly announced at sale.

Conditions of sale being complied with, and deferred payments satisfactorily secured, possion will be given April 1st 1893. Purchaser to pay for drawing of papers in conveyance and securing money. JOHN MOUREY SHERIFF.
CHAS. G. BARKLEY. Trustee.
Attorney. 12-23 3t.

Dissolution.

The limited partnership heretofore existing under the name of The BERWICK STORE ASSOCIATION, Limited, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

WILLIAM P. LOWRY, Secretary.
Berwick, Pa, Dec. 1st 1892. 12-9-6t.

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